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### ROOSEVELT THE WHOLE SHOW.

President Roosevelt is becoming swell-headed. He is the whole show or nothing. Recently he refused to hear a delegation from Massachusetts on the subject of reciprocity with Canada, with special reference to the free admission of hides, because one of the committee named H. M. Whitney, stated that the President favored reciprocity, which Mr. Roosevelt said was a deliberate mistatement.

Later Mr. Whitney asked a hearing, and in his note to the President expressed regret that reciprocity had lost the valuable support of the President.

The President then denies that he ever said a word to lead Mr. Whitney to say he was not in favor of reciprocity.

Now, where does the President stand on the reciprocity question?

Really, it appears that this sort of intemperate, ill-considered, and, shall we say, ill-mannered scolding is quite a distressing exhibition for a President and universal popular hero to make. It appears that a White House court chamberlain, censor and arbiter, of amenities is sadly needed at the present time.

It is difficult for human faculties, we know, to stand up and weather the fierce gale of adulation which has blown over the President recently, but who would not regret it if the President is to impair his position by succumbing to it? And yet the signs are not wanting that there is a growing disposition, if not in the White House, at least among his advisers, to interpet the Constitution, the Congress and the whole Government to be the Executive. I myself, Theodore Roosevelt, am the Government.

The Governments of Europe are invited to send the ablest engineers to help us to avail ourselves of the world wisdom in deciding on the kind of Panama Canal. When they bring in their report they are positively railed at and abused because they did not decide in favor of the kind which the President or his advisers wanted. Congress is to be asked to abdicate its functions and commit autocratic or despotic power into the hands of the Executive. Football is under consideration, and one of our good citizens lays his views before the presence, and is "permitted" in the best sixteenth century groom-of-the-chamber manner to state to the people the Executive's will Insurance problems, including grave constitutional questions, are to be settled by the President, and all the universe is gravely told to whirl around the centre of things.

A gallop on the hills, a cool draught, a little meditation, are seriously needed at this juncture. Theodore Roosevelt is a good man and a valuable one to this nation; he has a great work to perform; but if the progress along what is vulgarly called "swell-head highway" proceeds, popularity will be checked first by anger, then by denunciation, and finally, in its last and fatal stages, by laughter.

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After all, does it not seem a bit silly to make so much fuss about the Meriwether-Branch fist fight, at Annapolis, in which Branch lost his life. The Naval Academy is training young men to kill in order to "preserve peace." Pacifying by killing fellow human beings is the method employed by the government.

Who can deny it?

When the government kills to pacify, what's the use of grumbling when two students in an institution maintained for the express purpose of training young men to kill their enemies, select to settle their own disputes by a finished fist fight.

The humblest Filipino slaughtered by the American soldier has as much right, and more, to consideration as the student who lost his life at the Naval Academy.

Branch stood for his honor. The Filipinos were bought from Spain for ten million dollars, and thousands of the half-civilized human beings were killed in order that the purchase price paid the Spanish government might prove profitable to this great humane (?) government under which we live.

"Thou shalt not kill."

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### Berry's Plurality, 88,244.

The official figures for the State are as follows:

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| Berry's total vote | 546,949 |
| Plummer's total vote | 458,705 |
| Socialist vote | 10,330 |
| Socialist Labor vote | 1,622 |
| Berry's plurality | 88,244 |
| Berry's majority | 76,232 |
| Entire vote cast | 1,017,666 |

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While Roosevelt's Canal Commission is spending millions of dollars before it knows what kind of a canal will be built, England and Japan have agreed, if rumor can be believed, to build a canal over the Nicaragua route. England is to furnish the money and Japan the labor.

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When flattery is applied to friendship it's a case of make or break.

### INCIDENTS OF 1875.

**Local Items Taken from the Centre Reporter of Interest to 1905 Readers.**

[*Note: The spelling of proper names is the same as found in the files of the Reporter.*]

SEPTEMBER 16—There is some talk of the Presbyterians building a church at Centre Hall.

The school directors of Haines township met and decided to pay teachers according to qualifications. The salaries were placed at from $27 50 to $40.00 per month.

In the exchange of properties made by Henry Keller and George Durst, the former's farm of 165 acres was valued at $125 per acre, and Mr. Durst's mountain farm and house and lots in Centre Hall at $14,000.

A new Presbyterian charge has been formed, embracing Centre Hill, Spring Mills and Centre Hall, to which Rev. Robinson has been called. This leaves to the former pastor, Rev. Hamill, the Lemont and Boalsburg congregations.

John Harkens raised his new house on Tuesday. [This is the house now owned and occupied by Miss Lizzie Runkle.]

SEPTEMBER 30—The Grangers picnic was held on the Bellefonte fair grounds, on the 23rd.

W. H. Bartholomew, who for the past four years was clerk in the store of Msj. Fisher, at Penn Hall, has left that place and returned to his former home at Hublersburg. He will devote the coming winter to teaching music.

The Centre County Pomona Grange was organized at Centre Hall, Friday, 24th inst. The secretary of the state grange, Col. Thomas, was present.

Messrs. Van Pelt and Shoop have began the erection of a new building on Hoffer street for their machine shop.

The young men in the neighborhood of Farmers Mills have organized a brass band. Prof. Fehrer will be their instructor.

OCTOBER 7—Monday morning Jas. A. Keller received two broken ribs from the kick of a horse. He was standing quite close to the animal and was struck with both feet.

Prof. John Evans, who is assisting Prof. Wolf to conduct the Penn Hall Academy, purposes going to the Theological Seminary, at Lancaster.

The Lutheran congregation at Rebersburg intend erecting a new church.

John Moyer sold his farm, about one and one-half miles west of Rebersburg, to Michael Rishel for $11,500.

The election held on 12th inst. resulted in a majority of 27 voting to establish a new township out of portions of Harris and Benner. The new township is called College.

The Lutheran church at Pine Hall will be dedicated November 14.

Robert Lee has leased the pike from Centre Hall to Milroy and has erected a toll gate at the old tavern stand at Centre Hill.

OCTOBER 28—The barn on the Faust farm, in the Seven Mountains, was destroyed by fire Monday evening. A tramp suspected of firing the barn was arrested.

The farm of William Keller, deceased, east of Centre Hall, was sold at public sale to David Krape, of Haines township, for $110 per acre, or $16,500. [This farm was purchased a few weeks ago at a public sale by John Homan for $8030.]

B. D. Brisbin opened a new confectionery in Centre Hall, in the Felmee hotel stand.

NOVEMBER 11—Dr. W. Runkle will make sale of his personal property and move to Philadelphia.

The James I. Foster farm, in Gregg township, was sold to Joseph Jordan, of Aaronsburg.

G. R. Spigelmyer has been appointed postmaster at Woodward.

The four townships of Potter, Gregg, Penn and Haines have thirty-one churches.

NOVEMBER 18—Barney Wagner was buried Monday. His age was ninety-three years.

A little son of Jacob Wyle, of Aaronsburg, aged about two years, cast up a live slug- or snail-like creature, measuring over two inches in length. The snail was kept alive in a bottle for several weeks. The child, who had been reduced to a mere skeleton, is rapidly improving. It is presumed the little boy swallowed the snail while drinking water.

The Reformed chapel at Adam Stover's, in Brush Valley, will be dedicated November 28.

A large building to be used for a hotel is being erected at Oak Hall.

The new Lutheran church at Centre Hall was dedicated last Sabbath. The cost of the church was about $6000. The church furniture—carpeting, matting, chairs for the choir, lamps and brackets were donated by Wm. Wolf. Besides he was the most liberal contributor.

Married—September 9, John Emerick, of Potter township, and Miss Annie Weaver, of Gregg township. . . . September 20, Wm. H. Weaver,

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## THE EVOLUTION OF RUDY.

*A NARRATIVE BASED ON FACT—BY S. H. DEITZEL.*

After Rudy consulted his mother he accepted the offer and we soon see him applying himself diligently. While other students were lounging about the town stores dispensing and hearing gossip of an evening, Rudy was bending over his books drinking in deep draughts of wisdom, and, as honest efforts are sure to bring reward, at the beginning of the second year he stood at the head of his classes.

The ruling principle of his life was honesty and thoroughness. He knew there was but one highway to knowledge and if he would win the prize he must pay the price.

His opportunities were few but he made the best use of them, and by transforming what to others were stumbling blocks into stepping stones he advanced rapidly, and ten years after his sad experience, when being ridiculed for his ill-fitting clothes in the Red Bridge school, he became a teacher who brought honor to his profession and was now an object of envy by those to whom he was then an object of ridicule.

It was a sad day to the school at Potters Mills when he announced that with this term his teaching would end. There was more than one red eye to bear that bit of sad news home that evening. The entreaties of pupils and the promise of an increase in salary from the patrons were of no avail for Rudy must press forward to higher attainments.

The pastor of the little unpretentious country church of which Rudy was a member, took a deep interest in this young man from the "valley", for the Rev. Mr. Martin, himself yet a young man, realized the great undeveloped soul in their midst and accordingly he advised Rudy to pursue a course of study in one of the higher institutions of learning. He said: "God has given you an intellect of a high order and it is your duty to develop it so that you can use it to the good of your fellow-men and to God's glory."

It was known only by a few of his friends that for some time he had been taking private lessons from his pastor, and the next they heard of Rudy he had entered the second year class of his chosen college. But the days of trial were not by any means over, for he was obliged to deny himself all the luxuries and even many of the bare necessities of life. He must make his own way through college, and he does whatever he can get that is honorable, in order that he may meet his financial obligations. During vacation time he was seen toiling in the harvest and hay fields, swinging the cradle or mowing with the scythe, and when the harvest season was over he went to the neighboring forests felling trees and cutting cord wood. "That is a rough school but it is making a rugged scholar" were the words of his good friend, Dr. Wilson, as he passed by where Rudy was hard at work.

The days went by, and the boy who was not afraid of hard work was not afraid of anything else, and in this school of hardship and self denial together with the honest and sturdy habits acquired by his simple home, taught him lessons, developed faculties and powers that were entirely wanting in the education of his more fortunate fellow students, and as a consequence when the college days were over he went into the world thoroughly equipped for the battles of life.

The world soon recognized his ability and sincerity and he rose step by step in his chosen profession. His responsibilities increased with his opportunities yet he was ever equal to the occasion, and, in a short time, Rudy was head and shoulders above those who during his boyhood days in the Red Bridge school made sport of his ill-fitting clothes. Then they thought it a dishonor to associate with him, now they were proud to speak of him as their school-mate.

His many books, even at this far off day, are widely circulated and eagerly read. Proud parents refer to him as a model, and try to impress upon careless or do-less sons his life as an object lesson of what can be done by one with limited opportunities but who has a determination to make the best of his circumstances and is not afraid of work and sacrifice.

His annual visits to the home and scenes of his childhood and youth were looked forward to with fond anticipations by the people of "the valley," who are proud of Rudy who made their "valley" famous, and one lesson they all have learned is, that ill-fitting clothes and humble homes may shelter great souls, and that poverty and unfavorable surroundings are no barriers to success for one who truly wills to develop a higher type of manhood.

In the autumn of 18— he was last seen lingering by what was left of the little log house that is now falling into decay. Such a magnanimous soul as his could not desert the humble home that sheltered him in his early years. He looked forward with fond anticipation to the time when he could leave the din of the great city behind and once more, and likely for the last time, intrude the familiar haunts of the feathered songsters that are the only evidences of life about the now deserted home.

He wandered along the once familiar path, now used only by the mountain cattle, to the cold spring whose waters are always pure and fresh, and Rudy was sure he never tasted any better.

At last weary and exhausted, his body frail under the weight of some eighty odd years, he sits upon the protruding roots of the old oak tree, where in his childhood days he spent many a hot summer's day.

He is a child again, and over the hills comes the familiar tinkle of the cowbells as the kine come home at eventide. In the distance he hears the clarion like crow of the barnyard cock. He is again living in the little log house, or with his brothers and sisters roaming over the mountains for berries or brown nuts. Every tree recalls sacred memories and hallowed associations.

The whole mountain side is aglow with the gorgeous colors of autumn. But Rudy is living in the days of long ago, and the golden and crimson are not appealing to his sense of admiration, for, once more, he is sitting as a boy upon his mother's knee telling her his childish sorrows, and from her grave he hears her say: "Never mind, my dear child, it will not always be so. Remember, though we are poor and cannot afford to clothe you as well as others, yet clothes will not make a man. Only trust God and do your duty faithfully at all times, and some day you will become a good and great man." And, as the sun was sinking behind the Tussey Mountain, tinting the western sky with a crimson color that seemed to vie with the autumnal mountain scenery, his dim eyes closed to this weary world forever.

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### Adam Krumrine Farm Sold.

Adam Krumrine, of Tusseyville, sold his farm of about one hundred and ten acres to Mrs. Mary Swartz. The price paid was $5000. The farm will be tenanted by Foster Frazier, who at present lives on the Fleisher farm, recently purchased by Sheriff Brungart.

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of Rebersburg, and Miss Henrietta Hoy, of Center Mills . . . September 28, Dr. A. J. Mothersbaugh, of Beech Creek, and Miss Sue Hartswick, of Boalsburg . . . October 14, Adam C. Ripka and Miss Henrietta Breon, both of Centre Hill . . . October 28, Prof. John Hamilton and Miss Lizzie Thompson, of Penn'a State College. . . . September 25, Scott Stover, of Versailles, Mo., and Miss Susan M. Bower, of Rebersburg . . . November 11, Philip A. Auman and Miss Alice Harter, both of Gregg township . . . November 11, C. Howard Meyer, of Centre Hall, and Miss Annie Runkle, of Centre Hill . . . November 14, Samuel Wiser and Miss Clara Contner, both of Millheim . . . October 28, Thomas Duey and Miss Kate Wirtz, both of Boalsburg.

Markets, Bellefonte, Sept. 9. White wheat $1.15, red wheat $1.10, corn 65c, oats 60c, barley 90c, clover seed $8.00, potatoes 60c, pork 6c, butter 20c, eggs 15c, bacon 10c, ham 15c, lard 8c, buckwheat 65c, flour per bbl. $7.00.

### LOCALS.

Lace curtains free if you buy shoes of Yeager & Davis.

Nature is a superb road maker. Even the abandoned Youngmanstown turnpike is in fair condition.

Remember the Thanksgiving supper in Grange Arcadia—chicken, waffles, oysters.

The Hospital Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. King, Monday evening, December 4th.

George Gingerich, east of Centre Hall, advertises his sale of farm stock, implements, etc., for March 27th.

Three deaths occurred in the vicinity of Centre Hall within the past ten days—Mrs. J. D. Murray, George S. Stover and Mrs. Sarah Durst.

From the Mifflinburg Telegraph: Jas. Spangler, of near Potters Mills, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Myers last Saturday and Sunday.

In the advertisement of F. E. Wieland, last week, flour of sulphur was quoted at 1½ cents per pound, which was an error. The price is three cents.

Adam Schreckengast, of North Millheim, sold his timberland, situate west of his home, to C. H. Meyer & Co., of Coburn. Mr. Schreckengast will cut the timber, have it converted into lumber as desired by the purchasers, says the Journal, and delivered to Coburn station, for which he is to receive $16 per thousand feet.

### SOLDIER BRISBIN.

**Will Witness the Dedication of Pennsylvania's Monument to be Erected at Andersonville.**

The erection of a monument by the State of Pennsylvania at Andersonville, Georgia, calls to mind the fact that Centre Hall has a citizen who was imprisoned there and has a splendid record on the field of battle. Reference is here made to David Brice Brisbin, the lumberman, head of the lumber firm of Brisbin & Company, who, by the way, anticipates witnessing the dedication of the monument, December 7th.

It was in August, 1862, that Mr. Brisbin, at the age of twenty years, enlisted in Company G. 148th. Regiment, P. V., at Potters Mills Robert McFarlane was captain of this company, and in the due course of time the company was within the fighting lines.

On Grant's move to Richmond, Soldier Brisbin and about thirty others, among them Captain George A. Bayard, of Bellefonte, were taken by the "Johnnies," on June 22, 1864.

Later they were taken to Petersburg, placed on Duck Island and from thence taken to Bell Island where they were held for ten days. By train they were carried to Lynchburg, Virginia, from which place they were marched to Danville, Virginia, and from there they were again shipped by train to Andersonville. There they were held for some time.

When the Northern Army threatened Charleston, Mr. Brisbin and a portion of the Andersonville prisoners were put under the fire of the Northern guns. When this became known to the Union soldiers, the prisoners were spirited by the Southern forces to Florence, South Carolina, where they remained until February, 1865. From Florence the Northern captives were taken to Richmond, paroled and sent into their own lines.

At the time the parole oath was being taken by his companions, Mr. Brisbin was sick, and instead of being sent into the Union lines was carried by boat to Annapolis and thence to Baltimore. Here he obtained a furlough and came home.

At the expiration of this leave of absence he returned to Baltimore, from which place he was sent to York, Pa., where he was discharged in June, 1865.

Chancellorsville and Gettysburg were among the battles in which Mr. Brisbin participated. In the latter battle, July 3, 1863, he received a wound in the right side, during an artillery duel. He was sent to the field hospital, thence to Baltimore, to Philadelphia—Turners Lane Hospital—where he remained until about the last of October. He rejoined his regiment in time to go on the Mine Run expedition, December 1st, 1863.

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### Keith's Theatre.

This week's bill at Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, affords the theatre-goer quite a variety. Among those furnishing the amusement are: Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Crane & Co., in their thrilling civil war episode, "A Yankee's Love for Dixie"; The Agoust Family, the world's one juggling sensation, in "A Lively Supper at Maxim's"; the eight Allisons, whirlwind acrobats; Lew Hawkins, the Chesterfield of minstrelsy; Rossaire and Doreto, comical acrobats in "The Captain and the Tar"; Ford and Wilson, howling blackface comedy. An extra added attraction is the Thespian Club, composed entirely of members of the University of Pennsylvania, presenting "The Conspirators," arranged from Bulwer-Lytton's great drama, "Richelieu." For the children: Cabaret's wonderful dogs, European novelty; the musical Johnsons, peerless xylophonists; Brothers Durant, airship kings, acrobats and contortionists.

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### Coal Getting Better.

From Belleville Times.

Frank Casner, of Allensville, of the Kishacoquillas Valley Coal Company, was in town Tuesday. He informs us that work at the mine is progressing very nicely. The drift has now been extended into the bank a distance of thirty feet. The vein is about five feet thick and is being worked a width of about five and one-half feet. Mr. Casner says the prospects for coal of good quality are getting better with every wheelbarrow load that is taken out of the drift.

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### New Telephone Company Chartered.

A charter was granted to the Farmers' & Merchants' Telephone Company, capital stock $6,000, having the home office at Beaver Springs. The new company has a right to operate in Snyder and Mifflin counties, but for the present will confine its business to points between and including Lewistown and Middleburg, Beaver Springs and Troxelville, McClure and Bannerville. Other branch lines will be constructed as occasion demands.

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

### HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Fine November weather continues.

All kinds of stock are selling remarkably well at public sales this fall.

Harry Potter has secured a very desirable position in the offices of the Carnegie Steel Mills, at Duquesne.

Rebersburg was represented in Centre Hall Thursday of last week by Jared Kreamer and Thomas Walker.

Harry Dalby and William Shores, of Lewistown, shot and killed a 600-pound bear on the Seven Mountains.

Miss Martha Goodhart, of Lewistown, visited at the Goodhart home, near Centre Hill, for several days last week.

D. Earl Fleming, of Pittsburg, was in Centre Hall over Sunday. He is in the offices of the Pennsylvania railroad company at that place.

James Worl moved from Centre Hall to Milroy, last week. Mr. Worl is a good workman, and will find plenty to do for himself and family at his new home.

J. Green Gray, of Stormstown, fell from a load of wood and broke his right arm above the wrist. Some time ago he sustained an injury in a similar manner.

The local trolley company of Sunbury expects to extend its line to Shamokin, thus fore-stalling Farmer Kulp's project to run his Shamokin line to Sunbury.

On account of an outbreak of scarlet fever in Saxton, Bedford county, the schools have been closed, and assemblages in churches and halls prohibited by the board of health.

Mrs. Maggie Harper has closed her home in Centre Hall and will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Marshall, in Dubois, and other points. She left Centre Hall last week.

Among the visitors at Centre Hall last week was Mrs. Ritter, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Geary. Mrs. Ritter is the wife of W. P. Ritter, who operates the Buffalo Mills, at Lewisburg.

J. H. Wagner, of near Potters Mills, was in town Saturday night. It is seldom Mr. Wagner comes to town in the evenings; he prides himself in spending his time in the family circle on his farm.

While Augustus V. Dively, a prominent and wealthy Altoona attorney, was entertaining guests Saturday evening, a thief entered the second story of his residence and carried away jewelry valued at $1000.

A great amount of fall plowing has already been done by farmers in Penns Valley. The ravages of the cut worm may be checked to a considerable extent by turning up of the sod at this season of the year.

The marriage of Prof. Harry P. Wood and Miss Elizabeth F. Jones is announced to take place next month. The prospective groom is connected with the Electrical Engineering Department, at Pennsylvania State College.

Miss Emilie Alexander, of Tyrone, came to Centre Hall Thursday and remained over Sunday. During the past five years she has been teaching instrumental and vocal music in Tyrone, but has not wholly given up her attachment to Centre Hall.

John R. Lawyers will leave for St. Louis, Missouri, the latter part of this week. Mr. Lawyers is well on in the seventies, but is looking forward to the trip with great pleasure. He will remain in St. Louis, with his son, William Lawyers, until spring at least. This is his second trip west, within the past two years.

Grant Warner, of North Wales, who was born at Nittany, and is a nephew of John Woomer, of Bellefonte, is lying at the point of death at his home. Mr. Warner was in his stable early one morning last week getting ready to go away, when Policeman John Stephens mistook him for a robber and shot him through the head.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, of Milroy, drove to Centre Hall Wednesday of last week, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley. They brought with them Misses Sarah and Rhoda Kyle, of Reedsville. The young ladies went from Centre Hall to State College, and Friday witnessed the exercises incident to Pennsylvania Day at State.

One function of the up-to-date magazine is to reflect the moving spirit of the time, and this is the striking thing about the December McClure's. As befits a holiday number, it is filled with good, strong fiction. There is a Jack London story, one of his best, and six other short stories; but first in importance are the contributions of William Allen White, Ray Stannard Baker and the Rev. Charles D. Williams.

# FIFTEEN KILLED, THIRTY INJURED

## Fog Caused Rear-End Collison Near Boston.

## THE VICTIMS BURNED IN WRECK.

**Accident on the Boston and Maine Railroad at Lincoln, Mass.—A Double-header Crashes Into Another Train at High Speed—The Cars Are Smashed Into Kindling Wood and Then the Wreckage Takes Fire.**

Lincoln, Mass., (Special).—The most disastrous railroad wreck in this state for many years occurred at 8.15 o'clock at Bakers Bridge Station, a mile and a half west of Lincoln, on the main line of the Fitchburg division of the Boston and Maine Railroad. The regular Sunday night express which left Boston at 7.45 o'clock for Montreal via the Rutland system, crashed into the rear of a local train which started from Boston at 7.15 for points on the main line and the Marlboro branch.

At least 15 persons were killed outright, burned to death or suffocated, and 30 or more were seriously injured. Many passengers sustained minor cuts, bruises and burns.

The wreck was primarily due to thick weather, which apparently obscured signals set by the forward train, which at the time of the disaster was standing in front of Bakers Bridge Station. The Montreal train, drawn by two locomotives and consisting also of nine cars, crashed into the rear of the Marlboro branch local, demolishing the two rear cars.

All of the passengers killed and seriously injured were in these. The passengers lived in Concord, West Acton, Maynard, Hudson, Marlboro and several smaller towns in the Assabet Valley. None of the passengers on the Montreal train was seriously hurt, but the engineer and fireman of the leading locomotive were killed.

The wreckage caught fire, and some of the passengers were incinerated. Few persons live in the vicinity of Baker's Bridge Station, and no fire department was available, so that the flames practically burned themselves out. The uninjured passengers and a number of train hands, assisted by villagers, went to the aid of the injured and many persons were rescued.

A special train was sent from Boston by the Boston and Maine management at 9.35 o'clock and reached here inside of a half hour. The train brought a number of doctors, while many doctors from Waltham and other places in this section were sent to the scene in carriages and by other trains.

The railroad station and a number of dwelling-houses were turned into temporary hospitals and many volunteer nurses assisted in relieving the suffering of the injured. Just before 11.30 o'clock a special train carrying those who were the most seriously hurt, who could be moved in safety, left for Boston, where arrangements were made to have all the available ambulances convey them to the hospitals.

The train upon which practically all the casualties occurred left the North Station in Boston at 7.15 o'clock with four cars filled with passengers, most of whom had been visiting relatives in that city and vicinity. The train runs over the main line of the Fitchburg division and stops at way stations.

The second train which figured in the collision is known as the Sunday night Montreal express, with St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, as its destination.

The Montreal train does not stop at the small stations, and after passing Waltham does not stop ordinarily until it reaches Concord, two miles west of Bakers Bridge Station. Owing to the heavy local traffic the Marlboro branch train was behind time when it reached Bakers Bridge. According to the statement of persons who were at the depot there, a brakeman was sent to place a fuse or red-fire torch in the rear.

The night was unusually dark, partly owing to a dense mist which came up the Sundbury River. According to those at the station at the time the torch had not been set more than a minute before the roar of a heavy train around a curve a short distance east of the depot was heard.

### REVOLT IN THE ARMY.

**The Czar's Armed Forces Are In Revolution.**

St. Petersburg (By Cable).—The successful mutiny of the sailors at Sebastopol, accompanied by the first open revolt of an entire regiment of troops has created the greatest alarm in government circles, and no attempt is made to disguise the seriousness of this latest crisis.

The army is the last prop of the government. Mutiny is contagious, and the epidemic of revolt which has attacked in turn practically all the units of the navy from Vladivostok to Cronstadt, it is now feared, is destined similarly to spread through the army.

Ugly reports have been repeatedly circulated of sedition among the soldiers in Manchuria, and it was specifically reported a week ago that General Linevitch had to put down a mutiny with considerable bloodshed, and that subsequently he executed 42 officers. No confirmation of this report was obtainable, but whether it be true or not, the morale of the troops on garrison duty in Russia has certainly everywhere been shaken by the revolutionary propaganda, and the fidelity of individual units, even of the guard regiments, is questioned.

**Castro Paid Mr. Russell.**

Caracas, (By Cable).—As no representative of France called on the Venezuelan Governmen on November 14 for the second instalment of the Plumley arbitration award, due that day, it has been delivered to the American Minister, Mr. Russell. It was announced from Paris that the Foreign Office had been advised that President Castro had refused to pay the second instalment of the award.

## THE LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

DOMESTIC

President Roosevelt will commission Secretary of State Root to visit Brazil as the representative of the United States at the third International Conference of American States.

The gallows has been erected in Rutland, Vt., for Mrs. Mary Rogers, in whose behalf a motion is pending in the United States Supreme Court which may be decided to day.

The contest over the will of the late Alpheus D. Dubois, in New York, was settled, the daughter receiving a larger share than was provided for her in the will.

Mrs. James F. Birdsong, wife of a dentist in Monticello, Miss., shot and killed Dr. Thomas Butler, a prominent physician, and then surrendered herself.

Miss Ada Rydstrom, a Swedish woman, evidently of good family, who became a house servant in Philadelphia, committed suicide by taking cyanide of potassium.

District Attorney Jerome has been attending the insurance hearings in New York with a view of prosecution if the evidence justifies such action.

William A. Clark, Jr., son of United States Senator W. A. Clark, of Montana, underwent an operation in New York for mastoiditis.

Louis Verlin, under arrest in Egg Harber City, N. J., must answer charges of swindling hotel men by forged checks, and bigamy.

W. S. McWilliams, aged 30 years, is under arrest at Des Moines, Ia., accused of killing his wife, four sons and one daughter.

A conference of leading financiers was held in New York to discuss a plan for the merger of all the Vanderbilt railroad interests.

Edward Gustafron, of South Norwalk, Ct., was killed by his demented wife, who was found, a raving maniac, in the swamps.

The contributions received by the national committee in New York for the relief of the Russian Jews now aggregate $878,511.

Clinton Walling, of Centreville, N. J., while fooling with a shotgun, shot and killed his cousin, Mabel Walling.

Wylie C. Burns, a Boston broker, who disappeared in June last, was found working as a locomotive fireman.

R. E. Dickerson was killed and Dr. O. T. Kenyon, Dalton, Ga., was wounded in a pistol duel in Atlanta.

Rev. W. W. Armstrong, of Paducah, refuses to give up his $900 as a preacher for a $2,100 salary as horse trainer.

President Ira Remsen, of Johns Hopkins University, at the inauguration of President Smith, of Mercer University, Macon, Ga., delivered an address, in which he said the day is passed for believing that scientific investigation endangered religion.

Testimony was given before the life insurance investigating committee in New York that the Equitable Life Assurance loaned $3,100,000 for a real estate deal in which an investor not connected with the society got all the profits.

The Southern Educational Association, at Nashville, Tenn., elected J. W. Abercrombie, of Montgomery, Ala., president, and M. Bates Stephens director from Maryland.

Convicts in the penitentiary at Jefferson City, Mo., mutined, shot two guards and escaped, after which three of the prisoners were shot and killed by pursuers.

Four women and a child were dragged ashore in life-savers' breeches from the steamer Argo, which went ashore at night during a storm near Detroit.

Lines a mile and a half in length will be used in towing the floating steel dock Dewey from the Chesapeake to the Philippines.

Admiral Dewey may take the fleet of United States battleships and cruisers South for winter maneuvers.

Fire at Dickson, Tenn., caused losses aggregating $125,000.

Firmly convinced that Mrs. Margaretta Todd, the wealthy New York woman, was dead before her limbs were cut off by the railroad train near Philadelphia, counsel for her daughter has increased the reward for information to $5,000.

Actuary Manning, the "man from up the river," was the principal witness before the Legislative Insurance Investigating Commission.

Five men were killed and one man fatally injured as the result of a collision between a gravel and a work train near Albion, Ind.

Lieut. W. M. Graham, of the Twelfth Cavalry, stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, shot himself, inflicting a probably fatal wound.

J. Marion Doesberg pleaded guilty to offering a bribe of $1,500 to supervisors for a county hospital contract, and was fined $1,000.

FOREIGN

The revolutionary situation at Sebastopol continues critical. Four thousand sailors are in open rebellion, having driven away or taken their officers prisoners The Bielostok Regiment received the mutineers with cheers. It is doubtful whether the crews on the warships in the harbor can be restrained.

Premier Witte and his ministers are holding conferences in the almost futile endeavor to devise means to cope with the revolt in the army and navy. The Cossacks are now about the only troops they can absolutely depend upon.

The Sultan of Turkey is showing signs of yielding to the powers in their demand for reforms in Macedonia. The Turkish Foreign Minister has proposed to the Russian Ambassador a modification of the terms.

The Japanese transports Ikuta and Fukoda were in collision near Shomonsoki and the former sank. Eighteen persons were lost.

The trial was begun at Constantinople of 15 Armenians on the charge of complicity in an attempt to kill the Sultan.

The Russian authorities will appropriate $7,500,000 to ameliorate the condition of railroad employes.

Russian troops at Vladivostok revolted killing two of their officers and wounding five others.

The Sultan in his rejection of the powers' demands, intimates that European pressure will possibly excite the Turkish people to reprisals against Christians. It is declared that to accept financial control by the powers of Macedonia would violate the Sultan's sovereignty. The naval demonstration of the powers will accordingly proceed.

# BODY FOUND IN TRUNK

## Ghastly Discovery in a House in Albany, N. Y.

## BODY IN BAD STATE OF DECOMPOSITION

**The Body Doubled Up, With the Head and Feet on Top and a Clothes Line Around the Neck and Feet, to Keep Them Together—Woman and Her Husband Had Not Been Seen for Two Weeks.**

Albany, N. Y. (Special).—Albany now comes forward with a trunk murder. Late in the afternoon the body of Mrs. Wilbur Camp Hammond was found in an old-fashioned high trunk in her apartments. The body was doubled up, the head and feet on top, with a clothesline tied around the neck and feet to keep them together. Mrs. Hammond had not been seen for two weeks, and as her husband was not around it was supposed by the neighbors they were out of town.

The couple occupied the second floor of a three-story house on South Ferry Street. For several days the neighbors had noticed a peculiar odor about the house. Finally, the police were notified. A policeman gained an entrance to the Hammond apartments.

In the front parlor, near the fireplace, the trunk, with its ghastly contents, was discovered. The cover was slightly raised, the murderer having been unable to arrange the body in the trunk so as to get the cover down entirely.

The floor of the apartment had been liberally covered with chloride of lime, and the cracks and apertures in the doors and windows were stuffed with rags. The body was in such a bad state of decomposition, the coroner said, that it was almost impossible to determine just how death was caused.

Hammond was a cabinetmaker. Mrs. Hammond was 57 years old, and up to two years ago was in the house on South Pearl Street, when she and Hammond took possession of the Ferry Street apartments. Hammond is still missing.

A good picture of Hammond was found by the police, and his description has been sent broadcast. He is described as 5 feet 10 inches high, weighing 165 pounds, with coarse features, very thick lips, unusually heavy black hair, rather straight and parted in the middle. When last seen he wore a black mustache.

Upon breaking into the rooms the police found that every crack, keyhole and crevice was stuffed with rags. The board covering the fireplace in the adjoining room had been removed, as if to assure a draft to carry odors up the chimney. Outside the hall entrance was found a bottle of perfumery with the stopper out.

By means of all these precautions discovery was delayed and the escape of the murderer greatly facilitated.

Within the rooms there was no evidence of a struggle, but many indications that the ordinary life of the couple came to an abrupt end. None of the jewelry, of which the woman was reputed to own a considerable quantity, was found, but all her clothing and the furniture and bric-a-brac were in their accustomed places.

The woman was well known in Albany for many years under the name of Mrs. Wilbur Cramp, as the proprietress of a largely patronized hairdressing establishment in the principal business section of the city. This was her second marriage. It took place about two years ago.

She was believed by the neighbors to be wealthy and owned the house in the South End where her body was found. She is said to have been extremely jealous of Hammond and objected to his going out daily to work.

Hammond's family lived in the house six years ago, when they moved to Cohoes. The woman and Hammond became acquainted when he was but 19 years of age, while she was 49. He is now 25 years old. Hammond kept up an acquaintance with the woman after his family moved away and she seemed to have been infatuated with him from the first, though the neighbors never suspected anything serious from this acquaintance until they were married.

### COLONIAL TRADE EXPANDS.

**Many Millons More in Commerce With Distant Possessions.**

Washington, D. C. (Special).—The commerce of the United States, with its non-contiguous territory in 1905, seems likely to exceed by many million dollars that of any preceding year, according to a statement issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor.

A nine-month statement, ending with September, shows that the shipments from the United States amounted to $36,552,174, against $29,929,079 in the corresponding months of the preceding year, and that the shipments of merchandise to the United States from its non-contiguous territory in the same period amounted to $66,550,150, against $47,141,638 in the corresponding months of the preceding year.

The figures given relate to merchandise only, and do not include gold and silver, of which the shipments from Alaska to the United States were only $7,000,000 of gold produced in that Territory and $5,500,000 of foreign gold shipped from Alaska, being presumably that originating in British territory adjacent.

In shipments from the United States there was an increase of nearly $2,000,000 to Alaska, of over $3,000,000 to Porto Rico, about $1,000,000 to the Philippines and nearly $1,000,000 to the Hawaiian Islands.

The shipments from the non-contiguous territory to the United States there was an increase of about $5,000,000 from Porto Rico, of over $4,000,000 from the Philippines and of about $12,000,000 from the Hawaiian Islands.

**German Sources of Revenue.**

Berlin, (By Cable)—Among the projected imperial sources of revenue are a tax of $25 to $37.50 per year upon pleasure auto cars, taxes upon railway and steamboat tickets, bills of lading and receipts for amounts above $5 and an inheritance tax upon estates above $12,500. Husbands and wives and their bodily heirs are exempt from the tax, which ranges from 4 to 20 per cent, according to the degree of kinship.

## NEW YORK AS SEEN DAY BY DAY.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

The body of William H. Jones, a Cuban, who shot and killed Harry Britton and wounded Frank Britton, was found at the rear of the Baptist Church near the scene of the murder. Jones had shot himself through the heart, a revolver being found near the body. It is believed that Jones, after wandering about for several hours, returned to the vicinity of the Britton home in the hope of seeing Jessie Britton, and not being able to safely approach the house, decided to kill himself.

The murder and suicide followed an attempt of Jones to see Jessie Britton, with whom he was infatuated. Her brothers refused him admittance to the house, whereupon he began firing. Frank Britton will recover.

When Max Seigel, a watchmaker of 601 East Thirteenth Street, started to leave the store of R. N. Ingersoll & Brother, where he is employd, Thomas Benedict, manager of that concern, detected the sound of multitudinous ticks.

"Where are those ticks coming from?" demanded Benedict.

"That's me," ungrammatically replied Seigel. "I'm tickled at getting off so early.

When Policeman Trayer of the Old Slip Station arrived at Benedict's call he found 26 watches in Seigel's clothing. Seigel was arrested, charged with grand larceny.

When Miss Frances Carow, sister-in-law of President Roosevelt, arrived on the Finland of the Red Star Line on her way to visit the President and his family at the White House, by some mistake there was no one on the pier to meet her, and for a time she had to look after her own baggage. Finally some one drew the attention of Deputy Collector J. C. Williams to the fact, and he assisted her with her trunks, and, procuring a carriage saw her safely on her way to the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Roosevelt, 4 W. Fifty-seventh street, where she will remain a short time before going on to Washington.

Because the Department of State at Washington made a technical error in its demand for the extradition of Charles O'Connell, alias Henry T. Hardy, that master craftsman of American jail-breakers will be returned to this country in the custody of a skipper of a German Atlantic liner instead of under the guard of James Jackson, State detective, and Warden Deyo, of Clinton Prison, at Dannemora, from which O'Connell escaped in 1890. Jackson and Deyo came back on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse qn Tuesday without the man for whom they were sent to Berlin six weeks ago.

Because she would not wave a tiny British flag the night Prince Louis and his staff were at the Majestic Theatre, May Leslie, a sprightly member of the "Wonderland" chorus, has been fined $15, which was deducted from her salary. She promptly handed in her two weeks' notice, and has informed Julian Mitchell that she will sue for damages, since the fine was imposed on the ground of insubordination. Miss Leslie refused to wave the British flag because she is Irish.

Temporarily insane, following a long illness, Mary G. McCarthy, 209 West Sixty-fourth Street, climbed down on the "L" road tracks from the downtown platform at Sixty-sixth street and Columbus avenue, and, kneeling there in an attitude of prayer just as a train approached, was struck and instantly killed. Several women among those who were on the platform fainted.

Fighting a duel on a yardarm with sheath knives in the height of a gale at midnight off Hatteras, Ole Janssen, a sailor, was nearly killed on the barkentine Mannie Swan, which is berthed at the foot of Nineteenth Street, Jersey City.

Emilio Huelatta, a Porto Rican sailor, has been held in $5000 bail by United States Commissioner Lindsay Rowe, charged with attempted murder on the high seas.

William Mills, an advertising designer, was taken to the private sanitorium of Dr. A. Josephine Sherman, 126 East Sixtieth Street, under the care of a trained nurse. During the afternoon, while his nurse was engaged in the hall outside his room, Mills jumped out of the fourth-story front window. He was instantly killed.

Unable to obtain employment here after a 10-day search, his supply of saved-up money gone all but a few cents, ill and hungry, Robert H. Barr, 22 years old, of Harper's Ferry, W. Va., attempted suicide by drinking laudanum in the cleared space at Chambers Street and Broadway, where the new Chemical Bank Building is being erected. He was taken to the Hudson Street Hospital, where, it was said, he probably would recover.

Dr. James F. Kirk, a Williamsburg physician, of 404 Hamburg Avenue, asked the police to arrest his college classmate, Dr. Alexander P. Preston, of Riverdale, Cal., on a charge of obtaining $150 on a plea that his mother was dying in Denver and that he had no money to get West. Dr. Kirk decided to take the step after he had learned, he says, that his friend had secured money from other physicians on the same plea.

**Four Men Killed.**

South River, N. J. (Special).—Four men were blown to pieces by an explosion at the laboratory of the International Smokeless Powder and Chemical Company, at Parlin. What caused the explosion wil never be known, as only the four men were in the building at the time. The building was a one-story frame structure, and, because of the liability to explosions, was separated from all others on the plant except one by a space of several hundred feet.

# FOR A DIRECT BALLOT

## Witte Fails to Prevent Action of Zemstvos.

## POLISH PEASANTS ARE RISING.

**Premier Witte Believed to Be Convinced That a Constitution Containing the Charter of Russian Liberties to Which the Czar Will Swear Alle Ince is the Only Way Out of the Present Crisis.**

Moscow (By Cable).—By a scanty majority of 20 the Zemstvo Congress accepted the first sections of the program drafted by the executive committee declaring the solidarity of the congress with the principles of the imperial manifesto of October 30 and assuring the government of the support of the great majority of zemstvos and municipalities in carrying into effect the liberties promised by the manifesto, but laying down as the sole means of guaranteeing the authority of the Douma and restoring order in the country the election of representatives by a general, direct, equal and secret ballot and the formal grant to the Douma of the power to elaborate a constitution for the empire.

The friends of Count Witte on the floor made a stout fight against the provision for a direct ballot, the one concession which the Premier considers it impossible to grant, but this provision was carried over their heads by a two-thirds majority.

The resolution in its final form is substantially the same as cabled Thursday. The committee to which it was referred for further consideration made numerous alterations in the phraseology, but little change in the substance, except the insertion of a demand for the immediate abolition of martial law in Poland as among the measures deemed to be imperative before the convocation of the douma.

The congress also inserted, at the suggestion of the committee, a provision subjecting all ministers, except court ministers, to the responsibility of the cabinet, M. Mullikoff explaining that with the ministers of war, navy and foreign affairs, except from such responsibilty not only could war or peace be decided without consulting the premier, but the minister of war could declare martial law in any section of the country without consulting his colleagues.

The committee rejected an amendment proposed by Professor Kovalevsky for the creation of a committee of zemstvoists to act in an advisory capacity with Count Witte until the meeting of the Douma.

In the debate preceding the adoption of the resolution Prince Eugene Troubetskoy proposed to substitute the words "precious acquisition of the people" for the phase calling the manifesto a "precious conquest," but it was rejected.

Prince Troubetskoy, Count Heyden and M. Karauloff made a final but vain effort to eliminate the section giving constituents functions to the first douma. M. Karauloff, a former revolutionary who spent 25 years in prison or in exile, and who in the congress represents Yeneseisk, Siberia, where he has been living in banishmnt, opposed universal suffrage and warned the congress that insistence on a constituent assembly would precipitate a struggle with the forces of anarchy and plunge the country into a sea of blood.

### CABLES NEW KING.

**President Roosevelt Sends Congratulations To Haakon VII.**

Washington, D. C. (Special).—President Rosevelt telegraphed to King Haakon VII., the new King of Norway, as follows:

"I felicitate Your Majesty on being chosen by the Norwegian people to succeed to the throne of Haakon and Olaf, of Harald and Sigurd."

Christiania, Norway (By Cable).—The news of the events at Copenhagen was eagerly read by every section of the Norwegian population, and the greatest enthusiasm was displayed. On all sides the new King's simple cordiality and unceremonious behavior, corresponding with the Norwegian spirit of democracy, are acepted as an omen that he will prove to be a King after the Norwegian heart. His assumption of the name of Haakon VII. for himself and of Olaf for his son, a reminder of the glorious centuries of Norwegian history, had made an excellent impression.

In reply to a congratulatory telegram sent by the Norwegian Government King Edward wired:

I thank you for your kind telegram. I am enchanted to learn that my dear daughter will be Queen of your magnificent and interesting country.

Copenhagen (By Cable).—At a banquiet in the palace King Christian conducted Queen Maud and King Haakon all the members of the Danish royal famconducted the Dowager Empress of Russia to the table. Those present included ily and members of the Norwegian delegation, the members of the Danish Cabinet and other officials, the British and Norwegian Ministers, and other prominent persons.

King Christian issued an open letter formally announcing the acceptance by Prince Charles of the Norwegian throne. He also announced the appointment of King Haakon as an admiral of the Danish Navy.

**Cigarette Cost $50.**

Lincoln, Neb. (Special)—Patrick Raymond, aged 18, was arrested while lighting a cigarette which he had just rolled for his own use in the presence of a city detective. He was fined $50 and costs. This is the lightest penalty prescribed by the law for "manufacturing" cigarettes.

**Uneasy About Witte.**

London (By Cable).—The St. Petersburg, correspondent of the Standard claims to have excellent authority for stating that Count Witte's health is causing the gravest anxiety. He had a paralytic seizure last week, partially disabling his left arm for several hours, accompanied by brief attacks of fainting. This is the second time he has suffered from paralysis. The foregoing was more or less obscurely rumored some days ago, and was denied.

## ENDED LIFE KNEELING.

**Hit By Train While In Attitude of Prayer.**

New York (Special).—Mary G. McCarthy, a pretty young woman, of 209 West Sixty-fourth street, ended her life in a spectacular manner by jumping to the tracks of the elevated structure at Columbus Avenue and Sixty-sixth Street and then kneeling in an attitude of prayer before the train, which swept down on her and crushed her.

The suicide selected an hour when there is a rush of shoppers and matineegoers and the south-bound platform was crowded with women and children. They were waiting for the Sixth Avenue train, that was approaching the station.

The girl's appearance attracted some attention, as after leaving the ticket-chopper's box she made several short spurts toward the edge of the platform. In this eccentric manner she made her way towards the south end of the platform, where there were few people. Then she stopped at the edge of the platform and glanced up the tracks. The train was about half a block away and coming down the grade at full headway.

She waited until there was no possibility of the motorman stopping the train, whereupon she jumped to the tracks. She fell at first, but raised herself to her knees and faced the on-rushing train, clasping her hands as if in prayer and inclined her head towards one of the rails.

The crowd of women who looked on stood for a moment speechless. Then they began to scream hysterically, and their cries could be heard above the rumble of the train. It was all over in an instant, the train being stopped after the first car had passed over the young woman's body. A half dozen women had fainted in the station, but they were revived by physicians in the crowd.

### 25 CAUGHT IN NETS.

**400 Girls Get Out of Burning Schoo'.**

Lawrence, Mass., (Special).—All but one of 400 girls attending the parocial school of St. Anne's parish, whose lives were endangered by fire in the building escaped without injury, although 25 of them were caught in nets by firemen as they were dropped from a third-tory window by a teacher.

Rena Drouin, 12 years old, was taken to a hospital suffering from the effects of fright and inhaling smoke. It is thought that she may recover.

The fire was caused by an overheated furnace.

All the pupils except those on the third floor, who escaped by means of the nets, marched out of the building in good order when the alarm was given.

Sister Mary, one of the teachers, and her 25 pupils, who were on the third floor, could not get down the stairs on account of the dense smoke. She led the pupils to the windows, beneath which the firemen stretched nets. Under the sister's direction the girls climbed out over the sill and one by one were assisted to drop, being caught safely in the apparatus held by the firemen. After the last pupil had been cared for, Sister Mary herself reached the street by means of a ladder.

The damage to the building was slight.

**Satisfied With Commission.**

Washington, D. C. (Special).—President Roosevelt will oppose the abolishment of the present Canal Commission and also its reorganization. He has let it be known that he is satisfied with the present Commission and has confidence in it so that Representative Mann, who anounced the intention of introducing his bill for the abolishment fo the body, will not have the President's support.

**Twenty-Fourth Child Gets All.**

Trenton, N. J. (Special).—The will of Charles G. Myers of Cape May County is being contested in the New Jersey court of Errors and Appeals by 23 children. The estate, valued at $100,000, was left to the twenty-fourth child, the sole off-spring of his fourth marriage. The 23 children seek to have the will set aside.

**Turkey Agrees to Yield.**

Paris (By Cable).—The Temps published the following dispatch from Constantinople: "Following a second meeting of the Council of Ministers, it is stated that Turkey's response to the Powers will be an acceptance of their demands, with the reserve that the terms of the Powers' control of the finances of Macedonia be modified so as not to reflect on the prestige of Turkey."

## LIVE WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

The naval board of construction is now considering the recommendations of the general board for a naval program for the year.

Henry White, American ambassador to Rome, was selected to represent the United States at the Morocco conference.

Aloysius E. Bowling, of Bryantown, Md., a deputy auditor of the Treasurer, died at his Washington home.

A pension claim of $9,348 was awarded to a patient in the St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum.

In the future if a civil service employe of the government misconducts himself in the view of the President or of any head of an executive department he is liable to dismissal on the spot, with no further explanations, according to an executive order just issued.

President Roosevelt received from Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia elephant tusks and the hide of a Numidian lion. The presents were sent through a representative of the Emperor who is seeking the investment of American capital in his country.

Capt. William S. Cowles, brother-in-law of the President, was relieved of the command of the battleship Missouri. He will become naval attache at the White House.

Vice President Fairbanks has leased for the season the residence of Representative Morrell, of Philadelphia. It is one of the largest residences in the city.

The postal receipts at the New York office last year were $10,500,000, between one-ninth and one-tenth of the income of the entire postal department of the country.

THANKSGIVING DAY dawned coldly and cheerlessly two hundred and eighty-five years ago, when from the deck of the frail bark the Pilgrim Fathers gazed upon the forbidding line of the New England coast. Even to-day the shores of Cape Cod present an anything but cordial face to the ocean, and what must the 102 venturesome passengers on the Mayflower have thought as they saw the sand dunes rising up out of the sea that chilly morning of November 21, 1620? Stern and deterring as their own religion, lay that New World to which they had sailed to find liberty of belief; inhospitable, wind-swept, treeless, loomed the land. It must have taken dire necessity or dauntless courage to make a landing at such a spot.

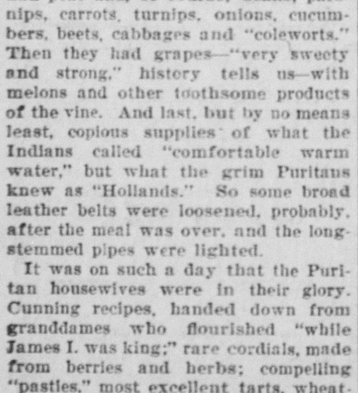
But the Pilgrims were made of stern stuff, and what lay behind them was infinitely worse—to them—than what lay before. So they stoutly called their women and children together and ventured ashore to plant the banner of a gloomy religion upon a still more gloomy shore. From that landing sprung the town of Plymouth, and from those men and women sprang the mighty race which now, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, gives thanks each year for the blessings of the last twelve months.

Edward Winslow, historian of the Plymouth Colony, has left us an account of the first Thanksgiving Day. It was celebrated in 1621, after a year of cruel cold, hardship, and difficulties overcome. The work of settlement had been hard, and the houses, of rough-hewn logs, had risen slowly. Exposed to the fury of a New England winter, offering suffering from hunger, constantly threatened by roving bands of Indians, those heroic souls, with sublime faith, could still thank God for benefits received. A row of graves lay near the sea, almost half the number of those who had landed the previous year, but, undaunted, they, inch by inch, fought the wilderness, the elements, and the savages. And they gave thanks that their condition was not worse.

Of just what the first Thanksgiving dinner consisted Brother Winslow does not relate, but contemporaries tell us that even in those strenuous times there was good cheer. They had turkeys, you may be sure, and fat geese, reminiscent of Michaelmas feasts at home. There was feathered game aplenty, and venison for the killing. Oysters lay before their very doors, and fish galore. Then there were the home-made barley loaves and cakes of Indian meal—a dainty borrowed from the aborigines. For vegetables they had peas and, of course, beans; parsnips, carrots, turnips, onions, cucumbers, beets, cabbages and "coleworts." Then they had grapes—"very sweety and strong," history tells us—with melons and other toothsome products of the vine. And last, but by no means least, copious supplies of what the Indians called "comfortable warm water," but what the grim Puritans knew as "Hollands." So some broad leather belts were loosened, probably, after the meal was over, and the long-stemmed pipes were lighted.

It was on such a day that the Puritan housewives were in their glory. Cunning recipes, handed down from granddames who flourished "while James I. was king;" rare cordials, made from berries and herbs; compelling "pasties," most excellent tarts, wheaten biscuits, calculated to lead men's thoughts away from holy things; forcemeats, preserves and jellies, all fresh and sweet from the spotless kitchens of Dame Brewster and Priscilla Alden.

Nevertheless, with all the feasting, religious things were not forgotten. The first harvest festival was ushered in with prayer and the giving of thanks. The Indians were mainly friendly, and King Massasoit and his retainers were bidden to the festivities with that New Engzland hospitality which has continued ever since. Long-winded prayers there were, without a doubt, to which the impassive Indians listened with stolid calm. A man who could not pray for one solid hour without repeating himself was not considered of much account those days and



it is pretty certain that the endurance of the worshipers was tested that day. So dawned and waned the first Thanksgiving.

The first national observance of the day followed the proclamation of President George Washington, issued in January, 1785. It will be read with interest, as it was the first real "crow" that our forefathers permitted themselves after the stirring times of the Revolution. It was as follows:

"When we review the calamities which afflict so many other nations, the present condition of the United States affords much matter of consolation and satisfaction. Our exemption hitherto from foreign war, an increasing prospect of the continuance of that exemption, the great degree of internal tranquility by the suppression of an insurrection which so wantonly threatened it, the happy course of our public affairs in general, the unexampled prosperity of all classes of our citizens, are circumstances which particularly mark our situation with the indications of the Divine beneficence toward us. In such a state of things it is in an especial manner our duty as a people, with devout reverence and affectionate gratitude, to acknowledge our many and great obligations to Almighty God, and to implore Him to continue and confirm the blessings we experienced.

"Deeply penetrated with this sentiment, I, George Washington, President of the United States, do recommend to all religious societies and denominations, and to all persons whomsoever, within the United States, to set apart and observe Thursday, the 19th day of February next, as a day of public thanksgiving and prayer, and on that day to meet together and render sincere and hearty thanks to the great Ruler of nations for the manifold and signal mercies which distinguish our lot as a nation; particularly for the possession of constitutions of government which unite and, by their union, establish liberty and order; for the preservation of our peace, foreign and domestic; for the reasonable control which has been given to a spirit of disorder in the suppression of the late insurrection, and generally for the prosperous condition of our affairs, public and private, and at the same time humbly and fervently beseech the kind Author of these blessings graciously to prolong them to us; to imprint on our hearts a deep and solemn sense of our obligations to Him for them; to teach us rightly to estimate their immense value; to preserve us from the arrogance of prosperity, and from hazarding the advantages we enjoy by delusive pursuits, to dispose us to merit the continuance of His favors by not abusing them, by our gratitude for them, and by corresponding conduct as citizens and as men to render this country more and more a safe and propitious asylum for the unfortunate of other countries; to extend among us true and useful knowledge; to diffuse and establish habits of sobriety, order, morality, and piety, and finally to impart all the blessings we possess or ask for ourselves to the whole family of mankind.

"In testimony whereof, I have caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed to these presents, and signed the same with my hand, done at the city of Philadelphia the first day of January, 1795.

"GEORGE WASHINGTON.

"By the President:

"Edward Randolph."

Thus did the eagle scream in 1795 and the noble bird has been lifting up his voice annually ever since.

## The Invalid's Thanksgiving

**How to Serve an Attractive Dinner on Trays.**

For those persons confined to their rooms, but whose condition allows of their eating a moderate Thanksgiving dinner, it may be served more attractively in courses on trays than all masse on one tray at the same time, gaining in zest by being a series of surprises.

Heat a bouillon cup by letting hot water stand in it while you quickly boil the soup from a small can, to which add a good shake of celery salt and other preferred seasonings.

Toast one cracker in the oven. Cover your smallest waiter with a pretty doiley; place on it the cracker lain on a dainty bread-and-butter plate, the cup of bouillon on a fine breakfast plate, a thin tumbler of water with a fresh chrysanthemum lying beside it, and serve, having placed the large napkin under the breakfast plate.

The next tray should be carried up and set down outside the invalid's room until the previous one is brought out. On it have a small platter containing what looks for all the world like a Lilliputian turkey, beautifully browned, stuffed and garnished with parsley, and which is, in reality, a plump partridge or a squab. To go with this there is a spoonful of currant or grape jelly.

But as this is posing for turkey, have a little mold of cranberry jelly turned out on a very small saucer, and on a hot plate, covered, a slice of sweet potato that has been baked in the pan with the little "turkey," with some of the brown gravy on it, a tiny ball of creamed white potato that has been browned in the oven and has a sprig of parsley stuck in it and a helping of stewed tomatoes with a bit of onion cooked in them, Southern fashion.

This larger tray should first be covered with a handsome napkin. Garnish the edge of this all round with green celery tops, having a crisp white stalk lying beside a salt cellar.

After this carry up a small tray with a glass sherbert cup filled with orange sherbert, and on a small plate a crisp little lettuce leaf with mayonnaise and a cheese sandwich made with small crackers.

On the last tray carry up a little old-fashioned "saucer pie," such as the invalid had made for her in her childhood, a pumpkin pie, and with it a mere bite of preserved ginger and an after-dinner cupful of clear coffee.

That will be enough for a convalescent, but not too much, as only a small portion of each dish is served.

But better than either of these would be frozen custard in the form of tiny pumpkins.



## For Peace, Plenty and Happiness Let a Grateful People Bow in a Prayer of Thanksgiving

"With hearts and lips in worshipful accord
Do we recount the blessings on us poured
And lift our voices hymns of praise to sing
For all Thy care."

**The Day of Thanks.**

With songs approach your God to-day,
Ye saints, be swift your vows to pay
And bless the Lord
With one accord,
Whose love the year hath richly crowned.
He smiled, when winter darkly frowned,
And by His gentle, balmy breath
Woke ice-bound nature from her death;
He gave the blossoming of spring,
And bade the birds their carols sing;
Vouchsafed the summer's rip'ning heat
And all the fruits that autumn greet.
Then haste to pay,
On this glad day,
As well ye may,
The debt of love to Him ye owe,
Who doth unceasing goodness show.
"Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

LUCKY, AFTER ALL.

Mrs. Newlywed—"Mother writes that she can't be with us this Thanksgiving."

Mr. Newlywed—"Gee! And I was just thinking I had nothing to be thankful for."—Puck.


# There is Money in Growing Ginseng

Prof. W. L. Howard of the Missouri State Agricultural College says: "I advise American farmers to cultivate Ginseng. Big profits may be realized. It is a hardy plant and is easily grown."—A recent bulletin issued by the Pennsylvania State Agricultural College in part says: "The supply of native Ginseng root is continually diminishing and the price per pound is correspondingly increasing, while the constant demand for the drug in China stands as a guarantee of a steady market for Ginseng in the future. The market for our cultivated root will exist as long as the Chinamen exist."—Consul General W. A. Rublee of Hong Kong says in the U. S. Consular reports: "The sale of Ginseng root grown in America is very large here and the demand is so great that much more could be disposed of advantageously. The root is as indispensable to the 400,000,000 Chinese as is their rice."

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The New York World hands Reformer Roosevelt this nut to crack: "The freight on a pair of men's shoes from New York to Chicago is one cent, one mill and two-tenths of a mill. The increase in the retail price of a pair of men's shoes due to the Dingley duties on hides and leather varies from 25 to 35 cents. Why is President Roosevelt so keen to have the government regulate this freight charge of one cent, one mill and two-tenths of a mill, and so reluctant to have the government regulate this tariff charge of 25 or 35 cents?"

Formal announcement has been made of the candidacy of Assemblyman Frederick R. Schofield, of DuBois, for the Republican nomination for Congress in this the Twenty-first district, composed of Centre, Clearfield, McKean and Cameron counties, now represented by S. R. Dresser.

President Roosevelt will recommend immediate joint statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory in his forthcoming message to congress, and Oklahomans are accordingly elated.

### Rev. Miles O. Noll Dead.

The Rev. Miles O. Noll, pastor of the First Reformed church, at Carlisle, died Monday, aged forty-five years. About three weeks ago he was taken with a severe attack of typhoid fever. He rallied for a time, but Sunday sank rapidly. He was a graduate of Bucknell and of Ursinus Theological Seminary. After his graduation he supplied a mission church in Baltimore for a few years. He was then called to Bellefonte, and eleven years ago went to the First church of Carlisle.

### From Lucas, Kansas.

After expressing his delight over the fact that he became a regular reader of the Reporter, A. H. Hunter, of Lucas, Kansas, adds:

"I have been in Kansas for a year, and while it is a delightful country, I would rather live in Pennsylvania. I am working on a ranch. The weather this fall has been very pleasant, having had no cold weather so far."

Mr. Hunter is a son of Thomas V. Hunter, deceased, and was born and raised at Boalsburg. His mother now lives in Altoona.

### Missing Hunter Found Dead.

Anderson Geedy, of Academia, went hunting for rabbits last Friday, and failed to return. His body was found Sunday morning in a field, with the head partly blown off. The presumption is that the gun was accidentally discharged, and the shell exploded, blowing out the breech block and killing him instantly. He is survived by a wife and child.

### Prospecting in Snyder.

From Middleburg Post.

The prospecting for coal at Port Ann, near Middleswarth, Snyder county, which has been lying idle for several months, will be resumed in a few weeks. The work done thus far has not proven unsuccessful, because the deeper the shaft is put into the earth the more carbon the material contains.

### Not for Judicial Investigation.

Judge Bell, of Blair county, decided that there is no legal warrant for a judicial investigation of the contents of a woman's stockings.

His Honor further said that a jailer or constable often searches the persons of prisoners, but that this is done without the judicial knowledge and authority of the Court.

### Camp-Kirk.

William Camp, son of W. A. Camp, of Tyrone, and Miss Marie Kirk, of Grimsbe, Ontario, Canada, were married last month.

### Corn.

Let the Reporter readers hear about some of the fine corn crops just harvested. Let the acres and bushels be measured and reported to this office.

### Smith, the Photographer.

W. W. Smith, the Photographer, will be in Centre Hall Friday, December 8, from 8 to 2:30 o'clock.

A man's good opinion of himself never gets too heavy for him to carry.

## NOVEMBER COURT.

**Sessions Opened Monday—Routine of Business.**

The regular November term of court convened Monday morning with Judge Ellis L. Orvis on the bench. Prothonotary Kimport and Register Archey occupied their accustomed places. William Pealer, of Gregg township, was chosen foreman of the jury.

Judge Orvis then addressed the grand jurors, explaining to them very plainly what their duties are and urging them to be careful but at the same time to progress as rapidly as possible with the business before them.

The constables of the several boroughs and townships of the county then made their quarterly reports.

Judge Samuel J. Telford, of Indiana county, who has been assisting Judge Orvis since last week, finished his business Monday morning. Among the cases he disposed of were the following:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ex. rel., Clara Brown vs. Ellen E. Bower and John J. Bower, administrators of C. M. Bower, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased, being an action in assumpsit; verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $304.07.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ex. rel., Blanch Hayes vs. same, being an action in assumpsit; verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $1547.93.

The case of George T. Brew vs. Christian Sharer, Eva Sharer, W. H. Marcey, A. A. Bertels, Thomas Pence, being an action for ejectment for lands in Rush township, was continued by agreement of counsel.

Last Thursday afternoon the case of Charles Schad vs. Milesburg borough was taken up before Judge Telford. Hon. A. O. Furst and Paul Zerby represented the prosecutor and John G. Love and J. A. B. Miller, the defendants. This case was a damage suit The plaintiff owns considerable land back of the Armor Gap. On this land was a spring. Several years ago Milesburg boro took it under the right of eminent domain. They built a reservoir and it now supplies the citizens of Milesburg with water. Mr. Schad and the boro council could not agree on the price of the land, hence the suit. This is the second trial of this case. The first trial was before Judge Love and Schad got a verdict for $2750 00 which was cut down by the court to $1600.00. The plaintiff was not satisfied with this result and a new trial was secured. The case was closely contested. Tuesday morning the jury returned a verdict in favor of Schad for $1163 83. Mr. Schad, it is said, will contest the case further.

The Lytle vs. Griffith, trespass, was continued.

The Clements vs. Emerick case was also continued, and will first come before the argument court.

### See "Rube" Waddell.

Manager Will Garman, of Bellefonte, has booked for the opera house Thursday evening of this week Hunting & Walter's high-class vaudeville company. With this show is Rube Waddell, the world's greatest base ball player, the man who called the men out of the field and struck three men out. The show is brimfull of sparkling comedy, high-class specialties, special scenery and a wonderful array of mechanical effect. There will be a matinee in the afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### Marriage Licenses.

John A. Fulkrod, Williamsport.
Mary E. Thompson, Bellefonte.

Bud C. Benner, Bellefonte.
Martha V. Resides, Bellefonte.

Wm. P. Reeder, Roland.
Anna Haffinger, Roland.

James H. Harris, Bellefonte.
Mildred Flora Smith, Bellefonte.

Paul E. Markel, Mill Hall.
Margaret Boone, Romola.

### Mrs. Margaret E. Border Dead.

Mrs. Margaret Eleanor Border, wife of Robert Border, died at her home in Altoona, Saturday. She was born in Nittany, this county, and was aged thirty-two years. Her maiden name was Tate. Besides her husband she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Hettie Tate, of Nittany, and several brothers and sisters.

Interment took place at Nittany Tuesday.

### John Nearhood Dead.

John Nearhood, one of the best known citizens of Taylor township, died at his home in that place. Death was due to a complication of heart and stomach trouble.

The deceased was aged sixty-six years and six months, and was a veteran of the civil war, having served in the 110th Regiment, P. V.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation of the tender sympathy and help of the neighbors during the illness and death of our beloved mother.

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## DISTRESSING HUNTING ACCIDENT.

**The Sad Affair in Brush Valley Mountains, Ten Miles from Loganton—Slayed and Slayer Were Close Friends.**

Mistaken for a deer and shot to death by his gunning companion, is the sad tale of a day's sport that Wilbert Oberdorf, twenty-three years old, of West Buffalo township, Union county, had planned.

Oberdorf and his lifelong companion, Joseph Biddle, aged twenty-one years, were out with a party of ten hunters gunning for deer and bear in the Brush valley narrows about ten miles from Loganton, on a direct line, and became separated from the main body. About noon Saturday Oberdorf and Biddle found signs which led them to believe that a deer was near.

They separated so as to close in upon the animal from opposite directions, Biddle saw a laurel bush move, and shot. He saw something drop, and, hastening to the spot, was horrified to find his bosom friend, Oberdorf, shot through the head. Death was instantaneous. Oberdorf leaves a widow, having been married but recently.

### LOCALS.

Ivy W. Bartges will make sale of his farm stock and implements, Saturday, December 16th.

Mrs. L. Rhone is confined to bed at present. She has been in delicate health during the past year.

Mary J. Krape, of Lock Haven, this week, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Sweetwood, in this place.

The fourteen children of George E. Stover, were present at his funeral, all having come home prior to his death Saturday afternoon.

The students at Pennsylvania State College are on a strike because the faculty has made changes in "cuts" and "excesses." "Nobody's working 'cept the foot ball eleven," who want Thanksgiving Day off to fight the W. U. P.

Messrs. Alvin S. Meyers, of Altoona, and D. Olle Stover, of Berea, O., were callers Tuesday evening. The former is a lumber inspector for the Pennsylvania railroad and the latter is employed by J. W. Dunham & Son, manufacturers of farm implements, at Berea, O. This is his first trip east in two years.

A telegram received from Miss Annie Durst, of Pittsburg, stated that owing to illness she was unable to come home to attend the funeral of her mother. The elder daughter, Mrs. A. L. Musser, of Clearfield, accompanied by her husband and children, came to the bedside of Mrs. Durst Saturday.

### Why He Wanted a Tenner.

Application was made at half a dozen stores before the man could get one ten dollar bill for his roll of ones.

"I don't see," said the man's companion, "why you went to all that trouble. You are going to pay the money right over to your tailor. Why didn't you give him the one dollar bills?"

"Because it would make a bad impression," was the reply. "I am broke, but I don't want him to know it. Whenever you get in that fix pay your debts in the largest bills that you can get hold of. It enhances your value in the estimation of tradesmen and paves the way for further credit. A fellow will think a heap more of you if you pay with one five dollar bill than with five ones. A handful of chicken feed indicates that you have had to hustle around pretty lively to get the money and that there isn't much left where that came from. A man who really has money can afford to pay in pennies if he feels like it, but he who has little can keep up his credit only by using large bills."—New York Press.

### Handel's Appetite.

Handel was blessed with a wonderful appetite, and many are the amusing accounts, true or otherwise, as to the means taken by its owner for its indulgence. His gastronomic propensities were frequently the object of satires, and in one caricature the composer is represented as sitting on a beer barrel. A ham and a pair of fowls are attached to the pipes of an organ, a turbot lies upon a pile of books, and the floor of the apartment is strewn with oyster shells. It is more likely that his adversaries invented and propagated many of the wild stories concerning his eating and drinking powers than that they had any foundation in literal fact. No one would probably order a dinner for three persons for instance, and because it was being kept back for the company to arrive blurt out to the astonished waiter: "I am de gompany. Bring up de tinner bretissimo."

### Sniping In Warfare.

The method of sniping in warfare is as follows: Three men set out, two in one direction and one in another. The single man, when he believes he is in the neighborhood of the enemy, lets off his rifle, no matter in what direction, and thus draws the fire of the sentry. Immediately the two other stalkers fire into the space lit up by the discharge. When this goes on, all round the camp the result is constant alarm at night time. Soldiers are warned not to reply to a sniper, but the temptation is well nigh irresistible. Their exertions, however, meet with little success, for snipers generally stalk the sentries from behind stones.

Tablets, all sizes, at the Reporter office.

## A MONSTER PHANTOM.

**The Ancient Norse Legend of the Flying Dutchman.**

The old Norsemen had a curious and vague tradition of a phantom ship which they called Mannifual. The French maritime chronicler, Jal, gives an account of her. So likewise does Thorpe in his work on "Northern Mythology." She was so gigantic that her masts were taller than the highest mountains. The captain rode about on horseback delivering his orders. Sailors going aloft as boys came down respectable middle aged men, and in the blocks about her rigging were dining halls where they sustained life during their heavenward wanderings. When passing through the strait of Dover on her way northward she stuck, but the captain, with ready invention, ordered her sides to be liberally besmeared with soap, and she slipped through, leaving the cliffs of France and England white forever afterward.

Down to within a century ago this gigantic ship was known among English sailors by the name of the Merry Dun of Dover, but she seems quite to have disappeared from the maritime lore of Great Britain. Seamen of Normandy still believe in her existence and call her the Chasse Froude. They say that she is so immense that it takes her seven years to tack. On one occasion in turning her bowsprit swept away a whole battalion of soldiers from the Dover cliffs while her stern boom was demolishing the forts of Calais.

## MEN WITH TAILS.

**Queer Records of an Old Time Writer on This Subject.**

Mention of an obscure belief in other countries that Englishmen used to wear tails has prompted a correspondent to submit some information regarding the subject of tails in general. Dr. John Wolff, an old time writer, said: "There is even in England a gentleman of dark complexion and of great talents who walks exactly as if he had a tail, and people of high rank told me that he and his family were known to have tails, and therefore in his carriage there is a hole in the seat where he sits in order that he may be able to sit comfortably."

Baring-Gould's "Curious Myths of the Middle Ages" contains the following: "Dr. Wolff in his travels and adventures says, 'There are men and women in Abyssinia with tails like dogs and horses.' Wolff also heard from a great many Abyssinians and Armenians (and Wolff is convinced of the truth of it) that there are near Narea, in Abyssinia, people—men and women—with large tails, with which they are able to knock down a horse, and there are also such people near China." A note in Baring-Gould's book adds: "In the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Dublin may still be seen a human skeleton with a tail seven inches long. There are many known instances of this elongation of the candal vertebra, as in the Poonangs in Borneo."

### Warning to Guests.

This notice greets one in a hotel opened by a foreigner who has just "mastered" the English language: "Gentlemen who come in this hotel not say anything about their meals they will be charged for, and if they should say beforehand that they are going out to breakfast or dinner, and if they say they have not anything to eat they will be charged, or unless they bring it to the notice of the manager. And no fuss will be allowed afterward about it, and nothing will be allowed to deduct anything out of it."—Paris English and American Gazette.

### Not the Same.

On one occasion when "The Mikado" was being rehearsed Gilbert called out from the middle of the stalls, "There is a gentleman in the left group not holding his fan correctly." The stage manager appeared and explained. "There is one gentleman," he said, "who is absent through illness." "Ah," came the reply from the author in grave, matter of fact tones, "that is not the gentleman I am referring to."—Dundee Advertiser.

### The Mayflower Compact.

During examination in American history in one of our big city schools the question was put, "What was the Mayflower compact?" This is the thoroughly logical reply of one good little American:

"The Mayflower and the Speedwell started together from England, and the Speedwell went to pieces and sunk, and they put all the people into the Mayflower, and so the Mayflower come packed."

### How a Bee Gave Up Work.

On landing in Australia our hive bee industriously collected quantities of honey. Finding, however, that there was no winter such as we have in England, it gave up laying in stores. Its morals are corrupted, for it is no longer busy, and leads a butterfly life.—Nature Notes.

### No Extension.

"Is the wind due east or due west today?" asked an evasive creditor by way of changing the subject of his debt.

"It's due now, and you'd better hustle to raise it," was the unfeeling reply.

### His Defense.

The Count—You do me an injustice. I am not mercenary. The Heiress—No? The Count—No, I assure you. It is my creditors who are.—New York Press.

A very honest man and a very good understanding may be deceived by a knave.—Junius.

## Spring Mills.

The merchants here are receiving and displaying their holiday goods.

Turkeys will be tolerably safe this year. Very few will adorn Thanksgiving tables. In this community turkeys are scarce and command high prices. But what's the difference? There are plenty of chickens, pork ribs and sausage.

The toll gate annoyance, if not nuisance, has been wiped out, at last. Tolls and toll gates belong to the past.

How about the road bridge over the railroad from Allison's grain house to the hill opposite? It was rather expected that it would be completed by this time. Engineers were "looking" at the dangerous crossing several times during the past year, but it seems to have ended only in "looks" until another mishap occurs.

The revival in the Evangelical church still continues, and is meeting with success.

The Spring Mills planing mill has shut down for repairs.

Last Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd gave a birthday surprise party to their daughter Edith. The company consisted of only a few friends and proved a delightful occasion. Miss Edith was the recipient of a number of handsome presents. The guests present were Rosa Smith, Mabel and Eleanor Long, Mabel Finkle, Bessie Hoover, Mamie Bartley, Anna M. Cummings, Archie Decker, Samuel Leitzell and E. Finkle.

## Aaronsburg.

Harry Sowers and Miss Hettie Smull, of State College, were at the home of Jesse Wert on Monday.

Mrs. Harvey Musser and son Phil., of Akron, Ohio, are visiting Col. J. P. Coburn and Dr. C. S. Musser.

Thadeus Stover and daughter, Mrs. Kate Burd, of Smullton, spent a day this week at the home of Polly Stover.

Mrs. Jacob Sharer, of near Centre Hall, returned to her home after having spent a week with her mother and her brother, John Hetzle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Stover spent a few days last week at the home of John Beaver, at Milroy. They were much pleased with their visit.

Mrs. Lavina Lenker and daughter, Miss Sue, visited friends at Mifflinburg over Sunday.

Carl Sylvus and family, of Milton, are guests at the home of H. D. Kreamer.

Colonel Decker and wife, of Madisonburg, were guests of Frederick Limbert over Sunday.

Milton Stover took Mrs. Gilbert's household furniture to New Berlin, last Friday, at which place she will locate.

### Ripka's Laundry Agency.

Ripka's Cash Store, Spring Mills, has taken the agency for the Milton Steam Laundry. They will give the business their best attention.

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## POMONA GRANGE MEETING.

**A Constitution Adopted for the Establishment of Rural Telephone Companies—Other Business.**

The sessions of Pomona Grange held in Grange Arcadia, Centre Hall, Tuesday morning, were much below the average attendance, owing to the several local conditions and inclemency of the weather. There was, however, considerable business of importance transacted.

The chairman of the Encampment and Fair made his report, which proved to be of particular interest. There was a small net profit left to the organization.

James A. Keller, secretary of the Centre County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, made his quarterly report, which disclosed an increase in business and a low percentage of losses.

Officers were elected for two years. In most instances the officers now serving were re-elected, it being the custom to give an officer two terms. The installation will take place in January, at Centre Hall.

The committee appointed to investigate the rural telephone, decide which telephone company presented the best propositions for rural telephone lines and contract with the same, reported that they had entered into an agreement with the Pennsylvania Telephone Company. The report was accepted.

A plan of uniform organization for rural telephone companies was mapped out by the committee, which was adopted by the County Grange as a constitution and by-laws to govern the local companies.

The constitution as amended and adopted makes the official title of the company, "The Patrons Rural Telephone Company," designated throughout the constitution as "The Central Company." "Branch Companies" of the Central Company are the local organizations building and operating rural telephone lines. The board of managers of the Central Company is composed of five persons elected by the County Grange, and one person elected by each organized Branch Company. The board of managers of the Branch Company is composed of three persons elected by the stockholders, one person elected by the local Grange and one person elected by the County Grange. The legislative power lies with the Branch Companies and The Central Company, each being under the supervision of the Centre County Pomona Grange. Any person, whether a Patron or not, may become a stockholder and director in either the Branch or Central Company.

There are bright prospects of three rural telephone lines being established within the next three months. One line will run out from Centre Hall through the Keller district, connecting the homes of James A. Keller, David K. Keller, John Conley, William Homan, H. E. Homan, Dauberman's slaughter house, and perhaps several others. A second line is likely to be built up the Boalsburg road from Old Fort, connecting a half dozen or more prosperous, progressive farmers. The Dales, near Lemont, are also ready for the rural telephone line, and anticipate the beginning of construction in the near future.

### Want the Grangers' Endorsement.

Politicians are making an effort to work the Grangers for their endorsement of a scheme to establish a department of horticulture in connection with the State Department of Agriculture. In order to accomplish this the instrument asks the passage of some very commendable legislation regarding the sale of fruit trees untrue to name, and adulteration of seeds, etc.

The prime object of the politicians is to secure the endorsement of the farmer to establish the new department suggested, which will give places to a half dozen or more politicians at large salaries. In the selection of these officials, the farmer would be deemed incapable, yet the politician seeks his endorsement to establish the department.

The County Grange, at its meeting Tuesday, endorsed the portion of the resolution passed by Washington Grange, of which Prof. H. A. Surface is Master, asking for legislation to insure against fraud in buying fruit trees and seeds, but the formation of a horticultural department was "cut out."

### Witness Confesses

Called as a witness in the horse-stealing case against John Henderson, at Franklin, George Clark confessed that he himself had a part in the affair. He said that he and Henderson stole the horse and sold it near New Castle.

The man seemed to be laboring under heavy remorse, and before he left the stand he confessed that his right name was Harry Williams and that he was from Centre county.

He will throw himself on the mercy of the court. Clark, or Williams, is aged about forty-five years, and gives evidence of being a well-bred man.

### Thanksgiving Services

Union Thanksgiving services will be held this (Thursday) morning in the Methodist church, sermon by Rev. Daniel Gress. The offering will be for the benefit of the Bellefonte Hospital.

Granulated sugar five and one-half cents—C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville.

## DEATHS.

### MRS. SARAH B. DURST.

After a brief illness the death of Mrs. Sarah B. Durst occurred at her home in Centre Hall, Sunday forenoon. Interment took place Wednesday at Centre Hall, Rev. Daniel Gress, of the Reformed church, assisted by Rev. J. M. Rearick, officiating.

The direct cause of Mrs. Durst's death was paralysis, but she had been previously ill. She was born in Potter township, December 3, 1838, making her age almost sixty-seven years. December 26, 1867, she was married to Hiram Durst, whose death occurred in the spring of 1902.

There were born to this union four children—one son and three daughters. Two daughters survive, namely, Estie K., wife of A. L. Musser, of Clearfield; and Miss Anna L. Durst, of Pittsburg.

Two sisters—Misses Annie and Lizzie Bible—also survive. One brother, William Bible, died in service in the War of the Rebellion. The deceased was a daughter of William Bible, deceased, who for many years was a resident of Potter township.

### HENRY KEEN.

Penn township lost one of its oldest citizens, Thursday of last week, in the death of Henry Keen, of near Millheim. His age was seventy-four years, and he was a son of John Keen, of Millheim, deceased. Interment took place Sunday.

The deceased is survived by his second wife—nee Anna Brandt, first married to Nathan Corman. Two daughters and one son to the second wife, all at home, survive.

By his first wife, the deceased is survived by two daughters, Misses Lizzie and Ada, of Millheim, and one son, Alfred, of near Coburn.

### JACOB L. DeHAAS.

Jacob L. DeHaas, proprietor of the Syracuse house, at Howard, died at his home in that place Wednesday evening of last week, after a prolonged illness of Bright's disease.

He was born in Howard and was aged forty-nine years. His father was Curtis DeHaas, a veteran of the civil war and one of the early settlers of the county.

The deceased was married to Miss Mary Burns, of Mt. Eagle, who survives him with two children—Margaret and Charles S.

### MRS. DANIEL ILLGEN.

Mrs. Daniel Illgen died at her home at Logan Mills, Monday morning, her illness being due to an obstruction of the bowels. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two sons and four daughters, the youngest being a babe eight weeks old. Deceased was a daughter of Daniel Schrack. The funeral services took place Thursday morning in the Lutheran church at Booneville, Rev. Mr. Bixler, of Rebersburg, officiating.

### WILLIAM ROYER.

William Royer died at his home near Madisonburg, after a long illness of nervous diseases, aged thirty-three years, six months.

Deceased is survived by his widow, Bertha Fiedler, and three small children. His parents, who reside at Jacksonville, and three brothers and four sisters also survive.

### GRACE E. GINTER.

Grace E. Ginter, daughter of James Ginter, of Philadelphia, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, that city, aged twenty-nine years. The deceased was born in Bellefonte, where, with her parents, she lived until moving to Philadelphia.

### INFANT CHILD.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ammon McCool, of near Spring Mills, died last week.

### Obituary

Mrs. Esther Mench Swartz was born December 13, 1817, in Columbia county, Pa., and died at the home of her son, David M. Swartz, November 18, 1905, aged eighty-seven years, eleven months and five days. She was married to Michael Swartz February 1st, 1844.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartz went west in the year 1855, going direct to Stephenson county, Illinois. They settled on the farm now owned by their son, David, and with the exception of a few years, that had ever since been their home. There were born to them six children, four of whom are living: Philip, of Pecatonica, Ill.; Mrs. Hannah Berger, of Dixon, Ill.; Mrs. Susan Lambert, of Guthrie Centre, Iowa; David M., on the old homestead. The husband, a son and a daughter preceded the mother to the last resting place.

Mrs. Swartz became a member of the Lutheran church in the year 1836. Her faith and confidence in God were manifest in her calm and uncomplaining submission to his Providence. She often spoke of her desire to go home and be at rest, praying that it might be God's will to take her to Himself, yet patiently and calmly biding His own good time.

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## LOCALS.

Dr. Atherton, President of Pennsylvania State College, is ill at his home.

C. W. Swartz, the Tusseyville merchant, advertises yarns, corduroy goods and rubbers. Read the adv.

There will be a "bank opening" and entertainment in the Evangelical church Sunday evening. All are invited.

An inch and one half of snow and sleet fell Tuesday. The day was a most disagreeable one. Wednesday warmer. Snow disappeared.

A. B. Salmon, secretary and treasurer of the Clinton Furniture Factory, at Lock Haven, was killed at the Normal railroad crossing Tuesday.

Miss Laura Runkle is in Milton at present, the guest of John Deitrick. From there she will go to Sunbury, Pottsgrove and other points.

A public demonstration in spraying fruit trees will be given at Rebersburg at 9 o'clock, Saturday, under the supervision of the State Department of Agriculture.

Photographer W. W. Smith, of State College, is spending his Thanksgiving vacation at Pittsburg, consequently he will not be in Centre Hall until Friday, December 8th.

Harry J. Stewart, of Sandy Ridge, has purchased through the James I. Ginter agency, the Harry J. Michael's property on Columbia avenue, according to the Tyrone Times. Mr. Stewart will soon occupy his new home.

Sydney I. Poorman will make sale of his farm stock and implements, Tuesday, March 20th. He is tenant on the Sparr farm, east of Centre Hall, and as mentioned previously, will become a resident of Centre Hall.

T. M. Gramley, the Spring Mills creamery man, attended the funeral of Mrs. Durst. He is the trustee in the Durst estate, and will likely offer for sale the dwelling house occupied by Mrs. Durst during the last two years of her life.

A few nights ago at about 9:40 o'clock, the St. Louis Express going west struck an object near Mill Creek. The engineer thinking some one had been killed, backed and discovered that it was a two hundred pound deer which he took to his home in Altoona.

### Crash Derails Four Locomotives.

Four locomotives and five cars were derailed Saturday in a head-on collision of two double-headers at Pawling, a flag station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, four miles above Selinsgrove. The wreck was caused by engineers of the eastbound freight disobeying orders. None was hurt, but traffic was delayed all day and the loss will be heavy.

### Harris Township.

Mrs. Gertrude Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Myers, Will Wagner and family, Mrs. Thomas Gramley, Miss Katharine Stover were visitors from Altoona.

Mrs. Mary A. Taylor, widow of Henry Taylor, of Reedsville, visited friends in this her former home. Her first husband was James Johnston, son of Col. James Johnston. Their home was one of the most beautiful places in the vicinity of Boalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabb, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Sara Rankin spent two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Jane Irvin, at Oak Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarlane, Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Black attended the exercises at State College on Pennsylvania Day.

The Misses Duflord, two energetic young ladies from Pine Grove Mills, last week, delivered goods, purchased from Edward Grossman & Co., Chicago, to a number of persons in this and College townships.

Newton Yarnell is the champion corn raiser this year, his entire crop amounting to 4,900 bushels, the product of 43 acres.

O. W. Stover and wife, Amos Koch and wife attended the funeral of Geo. Stover, at Centre Hall, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mateer visited in Mifflin county.

The Free Library, Grange Arcadia, will be open to the public Saturday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock.


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## PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

**Philad. & Erie R. R. Division and Northern Central Ry.**

Time Table in Effect November 26, 1905.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON, EASTWARD.

7.38 A. M.—Train 64. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, arriving at Philadelphia, 11.48 a. m., New York 2.08 p. m., Baltimore 12.00 p. m., Washington 1.00 p. m. Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia.

9.22 A. M.—Train 30. Daily for Sunbury Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Hazelton, and Pottsville. Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

1.28 P. M.—Train 12. Week days for Sunbury, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.23 p. m., New York, 9.30 p. m. Baltimore, 6.00 p. m., Washington at 7.07 p. m Parlor car through to Philadelphia, and passenger coaches to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

4.45 P. M.—Train 32. Week days for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, and daily for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10.47 p. m., New York 3.53 a. m., Baltimore 9.43 p. m. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.10 P. M.—Train 68. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg, and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m., New York at 7.13 a. m., Baltimore, 2.20 a. m., Washington, 3.30 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleepers undisturbed until 7.30 a. m.

WESTWARD.

5.33 A. M.—Train 3. (Daily) For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Canandaigua. Week days for DuBois, Bellefonte and Pittsburg.

9.58 A. M.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and week days for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg and the West, with through cars to Tyrone.

1.31 P. M.—Train 61. Week days for Emporium, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Emporium and Canandaigua and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

5.39 P. M.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo, Watkins and intermediate stations.

10.07 P. M.—Train 67. Week days for Williamsport and intermediate stations. Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia.

9.10 P. M.—Train 69. Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

## LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD.

Week Days.

| WESTWARD. | | | | STATIONS. | | | EASTWARD. | | |
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| P M | A M | P M | | | P M | A M | P M |
| 1 38 | 5 40 | 5 42 | | Montandon | 8 05 | 9 10 | 4 30 |
| 1 48 | 6 30 | 5 50 | | Lewisburg | 7 55 | 9 00 | 4 20 |
| 1 55 | 6 38 | 5 57 | | Biehl | 6 36 | 8 53 | 4 13 |
| 2 00 | 6 42 | 6 02 | | Vicksburg | 6 30 | 8 48 | 4 08 |
| 2 08 | 6 50 | 6 10 | | Mifflinburg | 6 20 | 8 40 | 4 00 |
| 2 20 | 7 02 | | | Millmont | | 8 29 | 3 49 |
| 2 27 | 7 09 | | | Glen Iron | | 8 22 | 3 42 |
| 2 55 | 7 37 | | | Paddy Mountain | | 7 55 | 3 15 |
| 3 05 | 7 47 | | | Coburn | | 7 47 | 3 05 |
| 3 12 | 7 53 | | | Zerby | | 7 39 | 2 58 |
| 3 21 | 8 02 | | | Rising Springs | | 7 30 | 2 49 |
| 3 28 | 8 08 | | | Penn Cave | | 7 24 | 2 42 |
| 3 36 | 8 16 | | | Centre Hall | | 7 17 | 2 35 |
| 3 42 | 8 22 | | | Gregg | | 7 11 | 2 28 |
| 3 49 | 8 29 | | | Linden Hall | | 7 05 | 2 21 |
| 3 54 | 8 33 | | | Oak Hall | | 7 00 | 2 16 |
| 3 58 | 8 37 | | | Lemont | | 6 56 | 2 12 |
| 4 03 | 8 42 | | | Dale Summit | | 6 52 | 2 08 |
| 4 12 | 8 52 | | | Pleasant Gap | | 6 43 | 1 58 |
| 4 16 | 8 55 | | | Axemann | | 6 39 | 1 55 |
| 4 20 | 9 00 | | | Bellefonte | | 6 35 | 1 50 |

Additional trains leave Lewisburg for Montandon at 5.20 a. m., 7.25 a. m. 9.45 a. m., 1.15, 5.25 and 7.55 p. m., returning leave Montandon for Lewisburg at 7.40, 9.27 a. m. 10.03 a. m., 4.50 and 8.12 p. m.

On Sundays trains leave Montandon 9.16 and 9.52 a. m. and 4.39 p. m., returning leave Lewisburg 9.25 a. m., 10.00 a. m. and 4.48 p. m.

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## BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Week Days.

| EASTWARD. | | | | | WESTWARD | | |
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| 6 | 4 | 2 | STATIONS. | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| PM. | P. M | AM | At. Lv. | AM | AM | PM |
| 6 30 | 12 50 | 8 50 | ....Bellefonte.... | 6 30 | 10 15 | 3 00 |
| 6 10 | 12 40 | 8 40 | .....Coleville..... | 6 35 | 10 20 | 3 07 |
| 6 07 | 12 37 | 8 37 | .....Morris..... | 6 38 | 10 23 | 3 12 |
| 6 03 | 12 35 | 8 35 | .....Stevens..... | 6 43 | 10 27 | 3 17 |
| 6 00 | 12 31 | 8 31 | .....Hunters..... | 6 46 | 10 30 | 3 21 |
| 5 55 | 12 28 | 8 28 | ..... Fillmore..... | 6 50 | 10 34 | 3 26 |
| 5 50 | 12 24 | 8 24 | .....Briarly..... | 6 55 | 10 40 | 3 32 |
| 5 45 | 12 20 | 8 20 | .....Waddles..... | 7 00 | 10 45 | 3 35 |
| 5 27 | 12 07 | 8 07 | ....Krumrine.... | 7 12 | 10 57 | 3 50 |
| 5 20 | 12 00 | 8 00 | ...State College.. | 7 25 | 11 10 | 4 05 |
| 4 30 | | 7 45 | .....Struble..... | 7 27 | | 4 35 |
| 4 25 | | 7 40 | ....Bloomsdorf.... | 7 31 | | 4 15 |
| 4 20 | | 7 35 | Pine Grove Cro. | 7 35 | | 4 20 |


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| | | Corn | 40 |

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## SHREWD SCHEMES OF ANIMALS.

**Devices Which Show They Come Pretty Close to Thinking.**

They were talking about instinct in animals. "I saw an exhibition of greediness and cunning by a horse," said one of them. "There were two old dirt wagon horses that had stopped for the noon meal. The driver had emptied a portion of oats into a wheelbarrow set at the head of the two horses, who still remained in the traces. The horses were to eat out of the common mess.

"Old Mr. Bay Horse, who evidently was a veteran in the dirt wagon line and possessor of a good appetite, would grab a mouthful of oats and splutter them out on the ground on his side of the wheelbarrow. After he had collected quite a pile on the ground he commenced on the common stock, and when he and his companion had cleaned out the wheelbarrow old Mr. Bay Horse turned to his private store on the ground, while his companion, from the other side of the wagon pole, looked hungrily on, but could do nothing.

"I was traveling in the mosquito country last month," said the other, "and the mosquitos were terrible. They attacked cattle and live stock and would drive them frantic. At one place a farmer was burning brush in the field, and I noticed a dozen cows and horses clustered in the lee of the smoke made by the burning brush. They would move around as the wind shifted, always keeping in the smoke drift, where, of course, no mosquito could live. And the animals stood with closed eyes, too."

**Walked on Tiptoe Through Habit.**

Three good-looking workmen passed down the long length of the art gallery on tiptoe.

"Why do they walk on tiptoe?" said a patron.

The proprietor smilingly answered:

"I'll tell you why, and the reason is so strange that you will hardly credit it.

"Those men are stained glass workers imported from Paris for my new stained glass department and they walk on tiptoe because they have worked so much in churches and cathedrals that the gait has become habitual with them.

"Practically all their working hours have been spent in the repairing of the magnificent old painted windows of the churches of Europe. Since these churches are always open, since services are always going on in them, work must be conducted quietly and all walking must be done on the toes.

"Hence these three excellent artists whenever they enter a specious and quiet place like this gallery of mine rise up on their toes involuntarily from a subconscious notion that they are in church.

"This is odd, but true—true of all European stained glass workers.

**A Teetotaler.**

A woman who not long ago was introduced to the venerable Susan B. Anthony, asked Miss Anthony if she was not a believer in total abstinence.

"Well," said Miss Anthony, with a pleasant smile, "I am a worker for the cause of temperance; but I am no bigot. Your question reminds me of a story that I once heard about Robert Bonner the publisher.

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As we arrived at 10.15, we were in the throne room a few moments before their majesties appeared. Their entrance was so simply made, so unobtrusive, that the first I knew of it, noticing a sudden lull, I looked around and saw a charming little lady, with a brilliant smile, greeting Mrs. Conger very cordially. One of the ladies, Yu-Keng, whispered, "her Majesty"; but even after this it seemed almost impossible for me to realize that this kindly-looking lady, so remarkably youthful in appearance, with so winning a smile, could be the so-called cruel, implacable tyrant, the redoubtable "old" Empress Dowager, whose name had been on the lips of the world since 1900. A young man, almost boyish in appearance, entered the throne room with her: this was the Son of Heaven, the Emperor of China.

After greeting Mrs. Conger, the Empress Dowager looked toward me, and I advanced with a reverence. She met me half-way and extended her hand with another brilliant smile, which quite won me, and I spontaneously raised her dainty fingers to my lips.

This was not in the protocol programme. It was an involuntary and surprised tribute on my part to her unexpected charm. She then turned and, with graceful gesture, extended her hand toward the Emperor and murmured, "the Emperor," and watched me closely while I made his Majesty the formal reverence. He acknowledged the salutation by a slight bow and a stereotyped smile, but I felt that he, too, was closely scrutinizing me as his shrewd glace swept my person. . . .

At this second sitting I looked at the Empress Dowager critically. I feared that the agreeable impression of her and of her personal appearance that I had formed the day before had probably been too hasty, the result of the unusual glamour in which I had begun the portrait. I thought perhaps the Oriental environment had dazzled me and prevented me seeing the Empress Dowager as she really was, and I looked forward to a disillusion. As she sat there upon the throne before she was quite ready for me to begin, before she had transfixed me with her penetrating glance, before she knew I was looking at her, I scanned her person and face with all the penetration I could bring to bear, and this is what I saw:

A perfectly proportioned figure, with head well set upon her shoulders and a fine presence; really beautiful hands, daintily small and high-bred in shape; a symmetrical, well-formed head, with a good development above the rather large ears; jet-black hair, smoothly parted over a fine, broad brow; delicate, well-arched eyebrows; brilliant black eyes, set perfectly straight in the head; a high nose of the type the Chinese call "noble," broad between the eyes and on a line with the forehead; an upper lip of great firmness; a rather large but beautiful mouth, with mobile red lips, which, when parted over firm white teeth, gave her smile a rare charm; a strong chin, but not of exaggerated firmness, and with no marks of obstinacy. Had I not known she was nearing her sixty-ninth year I should have thought her a well-preserved woman of forty. Being a woman she used no cosmetics. Her face had the natural glow of health, and one could see that exquisite care and attention were bestowed upon everything concerning her toilet. Personal neatness and an excellent taste in the choice of becoming colors and ornaments enhanced this wonderfully youthful appearance, and a look of keen interest in her surroundings and remarkable intelligence crowned all these physical qualities and made an unusually attractive personality.—From Katharine A. Carl's "With the Empress Dowager" in the Century.

(From the Chicago Journal, Nov. 6, 1905.)

When Commissioner Garfield went to the Chicago packers and asked permission to inspect their books, the condition was made that no information he might obtain therefrom would be used in court proceedings against them.

Mr. Garfield gave this pledge, it is stated, and the packers allowed him to study their business in all its details from the inside.

Now, it is announced, the results of his study have been turned over to the Government department of justice to be employed in legal prosecution of the packers.

Commissioner Garfield would not have ventured to give the pledge that was demanded by the packers without instructions from Washington. He pledged, not his own word, but the Government's. It is not his good faith, but the Government's, that is in question now.

The Journal has no concern for the packers, except as they are citizens of Chicago. If it can be proved that they are guilty of engaging in a conspiracy in restraint of trade, they ought to be punished.

But their guilt, if they are guilty, must be fairly proved. They must be given a square deal.

Since the Government has elevated its vision to such a height as to overlook the nest of defiant criminal trusts almost within the shadow of the capitol dome, in order to fasten itself a thousand miles away upon Chicago, the Government and the President cannot be too careful to avoid suspicion that they are more anxious to prosecute Western offenders than offenders in the East.

Some of the methods already employed in this case have not been particularly distinguished for decency. When the Government enters a man's house and takes his private papers, when it drags the wives of packing house employes into court and puts them under heavy bonds, it is hardly dignified, not to say honorable, nor even respectable.

## WINTER DRAPERIES IN LACE AND SCRIM.

In fall the homemakers' fancy turns not lightly, but earnestly to the subject of window hangings. Nothing makes for private coziness and comfort like appropriate hangings. Especially are they important in this day of flats, apartments and closely built suburban houses.

How to admit light to the room and yet screen one's self from the curious gaze of neighbors is always a problem to the housewife.

The bonne femme, or straight hanging curtain, directly next to the shades and stopping at the window ledge, is decidedly the best solution. This single width, broad curtain, which reaches from a rod parallel with the shade roller to the window ledge only, is always hung inside the window frame.

Although it has long been considered the house furnishing prerogative of the rich woman, it is a curtain which any housewife can make for herself.

Quite generally this curtain is finished at the bottom in three of four scallops, and the center of the lower half in generally inset with a medallion of lace or strips of insertion arranged to simulate a medallion. The ready-to-hang bonne femme comes in scrim, bobbinet, and the higher priced laces like Renaissance, Arabian and broderie Anglais, on finest linen inset with filet lace.

A woman deft with her needle can imitate these by buying either scrim or bobbinet by the yard making a medallion of torchon or antique lace insertion, and trimming the scallops with the material set on in little ruffles, or with ruffles of lace to match the fashade may be run up to the top of the window, and plenty of light admitted to the room.

The housewife who cannot afford to buy good lace curtains will welcome the incoming fad for appliqued scrim effects. This is an inexpensive material and lends itself artistically to the mission furnished living rooms. At a distance this new scrim gives almost the effect of a flower-stamped chiffon, but at close range it proves to be a mesh not unlike cheesecloth with the floral pattern woven in.

A favorite combination shows terra-cotta of pinkish roses with soft green foliage. There are also some very pretty conventional designs, including a leaded glass effect which is excellent for libraries, dining rooms and living rooms. In a room finished with dark wood a peacock pattern of scrim would be exceptionally harmonious. This shows a white ground absolutely covered with a gorgeous peacock feather design in the natural hues, set off by a touch of brown.

## A FEW COLOR HINTS.

Do we not all know—and occasionally regret—the fawn-colored woman who thinks she is pink and white, and dresses in dim, indeterminate tan and what she calls the "pastel shades" (adorable on your Dresden sherperdesses!) says Mrs. Evan Repean, in the Queen. There are few thing more cloying than unlimited strawberries and cream, and some of the best work in the world has been done by the fawn-colored folk.

What a pity we cannot persuade them not to pretend, cannot persuade them that they would be far happier and nobler and better in turquoise blue, or mauve that has not suffered adulteration, or warm dull red, or even a clean pink! Not a pink that always used to suggest to my youthful mind raspberry jam, "nurse handled," with taploca pudding.

Again, have we not all somewhere in our family cupboard the stout relation who dresses in horizontal lines or the long relation who dresses in upward soaring stripes, or the short relation who wears summer and winter (I had almost said night and day) long basqued coats and overelaborated bodices?

It is because they are pretending, quite unconsciously, be it said, that they are what they are not.

Take that overgenerous breadth, try to make it understand it must not cling to its waist, run its lines perpendicularly and the world is the richer and the better for the change.

Metaphorically rend the long basqued coat, which is almost a skirt, too, from the small, squat body of five feet one inch, and put it or its prototype on her long-legged sister of five feet eleven inches.

## CARING FOR KID GLOVES.

The life of a kid glove depends largely upon the manner in which it is first drawn on. The hand should be dry and cool, and if there is any perspiration, the fingers should be well powdered. The fingers should first be well worked on, the thumb being left until the fingers are fully in place; then, having inserted the thumb, place the elbow on the knee and work the glove down smoothly. Button the second button first, and then the others, leaving the first button until the last. This method of buttoning will greatly improve the appearance and fit of the glove and increase its durability. The greatest strain is obviously upon the first button, but when this is partially relieved by fastening the others, the danger of drawing the seams, tearing the kid or enlarging the button holes is considerably lessened. In removing the glove, never begin at the tips of the fingers to pull them off, but turn back the wrists and draw the gloves off wrong side out. Before putting them away, turn right side out and smooth them lengthwise. Rolling them up into a wad or drawing one inside of the other will ruin the best of gloves, as they lose their shape, and the moisture absorbed from the hand will dry slowly, making the leather stiff and hard. Strips of canton flannel laid between gloves are beneficial.

## DRESSMAKING IN THE HOME.

Mrs. Evelyn Fonte, of Des Moines, one of the speakers at the convention of the Wisconsin State Federation of clubs in Kensoha, Wis., last week, urged dressmaking in every home. She said: "Under the head of practical things I want to be clearly understood as urging all women to handle the art of dressmaking for themselves, at and in their own homes. The cutting and fitting of simple fabrics for simple wear, at least, should be understood by every woman before she can truly be said to be 'educated' or ready to take her place in the sense it means, as an American homemaker, I can but believe—and I find in every body of federated women whom I address the same confidence—that the day is not far distant when our educational systems, especially those for women, will recognize this branch of house-hold science that is truly beauty, worth, economy and above all, as a right thing to be given a place in curriculums designed for the broadest culture." Mrs Foote has made a study of French art in dressmaking and she believes that all that the French can do as well, and may be better for "I have nowhere found such good foundations for the dressmakers' art and skill as in our own American women."

## NEW TORTOISE SHELL COMBS.

Combs are just now charming in all sorts of colored enamels, inlaid ivory and prettily fashioned tortoise shell in all sorts of worn, for a change both to the back of the head, one above the other. There is also a sort of glorified shell hairpin being used, shaped to the head, but of a much better form than the old ones, which is so decorative that it serves as ornament as well as for fastening the hair. But do not dream that you can either dress your hair at home or have it dressed abroad unless it is fairly dry and fluffy. It is hopeless to attempt to do anything with very greasy hair, and quite apart from the fact that extreme greasiness indicates a relaxed state of the scalp which should be attended to from the point of hygiene; you should also try to keep it in a good and normal condition if you wish to look well.—Washington Star.

## QUEEN WILHELMINA'S DAIRY.

Queen Alexandra's dairy at Sandringham is renowned, but it is not generally known that Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland, has also a model dairy at her summer place and is herself a skilled manufacturer of dairy products.

Not only does she take great interest in it for its own sake, but she secures a good income from the sale of the cream, milk, cheese, and butter. It is not mere sentiment which causes such a demand for the products of this royal dairy, for it is a recognized fact that her majesty's farm has the best to be procured.

## BRONZE GREEN DRESS GOODS.

First place is given the bronze green tones of the French color card for dress goods. As a class they have the interest of novelty, being quite unlike any one of the numbers of green that have been worn throughout the summer. As a matter of fact, they are quite as much brown as green, and the lighter tones are good substitutes for the light tan and champagne tones that have been so much worn.

## FASHION NOTES.

Peacock feathers as hat decorations have never been popular despite the color possibilities of their use.

A good deal of red is being indicated on the fall color palette, and it is in a new tone, including the dahlia.

Amethyst stones claim attention at the hands of the creators of new styles.

The general picturesqueness of the evening wrap is considerably enhanced by the style of the evening headwear.

The French manufacturers are proclaiming loudly the pre-eminence of the bronze greens.

Lined hat brims are a feature of the season's millinery.

A dainty hat is a white felt sailor, the crown twined with a twist of gold ribbon, tied at the side of the front in a careless bow.

Well-dressed women should welcome the coming of these new tones. They are so essentially new, and those who have grown tired of the perennial blues and browns and greens can take to these new shades in full confidence of having something actually different.

## THE KEYSTONE STATE

**The Latest Pennsylvania News Told in Short Order.**

Fire of incendiary origin destroyed the barn, granary and henery of R. R. Brafer, near Bloomsburg, together with their contents, including the entire summer's crops and farm implements, and 100 chickens. Loss, $4000 with $1400 insurance on the buildings.

C. N. Maccrea, of Berwick, learning that a man had forged the name of his brother, Dr. A. B. MacCrea, to a check for $25, and had same cashed, started out on a still hunt for the culprit and found him at a railroad station waiting to take a train. Covering him with a revolver, he compelled him to return the money. The man, C. H. Johnson, nearly 60 years of age, was permitted to go on the condition that he leave town immediately.

The Parkerford Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, three miles below Pottstown, was entered by thieves, but the intruders only got 18 cents for their trouble. They scattered the books and papers of the office about in the search for money.

A statement prepared for the Board of Public Charities of Doylestown by Jailers Stout and Houden shows that the number of prisoners admitted to the county prison during the year was 211, eight of whom were women.

The Delaware & Atlantic Telephone company is planning for the erection of a large office building on the Rhodes property, recently purchased at Doylestown.

Residents in the vicinity of Dolington have been greatly annoyed the last few nights by petty thieving. Several residences were entered and mostly eatables stolen.

While returning late at night from a meeting of Heidelberg League, of which he is treasurer, Calvin Ritter, of Sellersville, was attacked by a highwayman, but escaped to a near-by house without injury. Ritter had considerable money with him.

John Rusport, aged 60, night watchman of Division No. 49 on the Pennsylvania Railroad, west of Huntingdon, was struck by a fast passenger train east, just outside his watchbox and instantly killed.

The new hospital at Taylor is completed and will soon receive patients.

The Board of Managers includes: Edward J. Jermyn, president; John H. Harris, secretary; Representative James E. Watkins, vice-president; William Reese, treasurer; Patrick Mulherin, John B. Robertson, Gomer Jones, J. J. Coyne, James Prince and William G. Howells, directors. The building cost $25,000.

Burglars broke into the general store of Judkowitz & Wimmer, at Dunmore, and practically made a wreck of the place with dynamite. They fastened all the doors, forced the sheeting of a big safe and got about $50 in money, some valuable papers and a quantity of dry goods.

District Attorney Benjamin Jones, of Wilkes-Barre, is preparing information against members of election boards in several districts of the county, who did not make their returns after the last election within the time required by law. The election was so close that when these districts were held back there was suspicion as to the motive.

The 3-yer-old daughter of Fred Dunbar, of Georgetown, was struck and killed by a Cenral Railroad of New Jersey freight train. The water in the village had been shut off and the child, with others, was going to a spring for some and tried to cross the track before the train.

Miss Carrie May Widerhold, of Mahanoy City, and Louis H. Bedford, of New Haven, Conn., were wedded at the bride's home by Rev. Morris Graves, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Mystery surrounding the death of George Hughes, the Philadelphia & Reading mine foreman, whose body, with the head battered, was found on the mountain near St. Nicholas, was cleared up at a Coroner's inquest. Dr. Riley, who made the autopsy, said exposure caused death. The wounds on the man's head, he said, were not sufficient to end his life.

By examining municipal accounts, the Taxpayers' League, of Reading, has learned that the city pencil bill for the year reached $432. As the records of the various offices are written in ink, the members of the league have been at a loss to understand why so many pencils were used. Some of them cost seven cents a gross wholesale. One explanation made by the officials is that almost every visitor to a city office seemes to think the municipality should supply him with a pencil. Former city officials and ex-Councilmen drop in and ask for one. Besides these drains on the supply, wholesale pilfering is reported. To refuse a pencil to a visitor is not regarded as good etiquette.

Asserting that he was mesmerized by an accomplice, George Cronauer, aged 18, of Reading, was arrested as the sequel of striking Mrs. Clara Endy with a stone. Mrs. Endy was felled by the missile when she answered a ring of the door bell. Cronauer says he was influenced by Harry Hettinger, who planned to rob the house. Hettinger is also under arrest.

Miss Maude A. Vaughn, teacher of the public school in Lincoln Township, Huntingdon County, is still without any pupils. All the scholars were sent home ten days ago to be vaccinated and have not returned, their parents objecting to the vaccination.

Harry W. Crooks, a retail coal dealer, died in Reading of nervous prostration, aged 40. He was a native of St. Clair, Schuylkill County.

Charged with shooting Leon Harmon, of Kennett Square, at a dance a few nights ago, Charles Brown, of Unionville, has been arrested and committed to prison.

Charles Trexler, of Shamokin, after vainly trying in a wild ride to stop two runaway horses, was flung to the ground and seriously, if not fatally, injured.

New York capitalists made an inspection of Lehigh Valley Company's culm banks near Shamokin. They may purchase them and erect a washery. The Morris Ridge banks are full of the choicest pea and chestnut coal. It has been estimated that the banks contain at least a quarter of a million tons of marketable anthracite.

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"Well, who's the other man?" inquired her escort.

"Oh, that's Jack," she replied, blushingly. "We're engaged."

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"Nat" Goodwin the comedian once possessed a fine country house on the banks of the Thames river, near New London, Connecticut. Every summer he used to invite some of his Thespian friends to join his house party.

On one such occasion Goodwin delivered himself of a bon mot that is worth repeating.

"Nat," said some one, "you certainly have a fine place here. Just think of it, a lawn right on the river!"

"Yes," drawled "Nat," "it's fine. In the spring we have the lawn on the river, and in the fall we have the river on the lawn."—The Sunday Magazine.

**Advance.**

"In the old days," observes the man with the dyed whiskers, "the physicians believed that blood letting was a sovereign remedy for whatever ailed a patient. They would bleed him for gunshot wounds or anything else."

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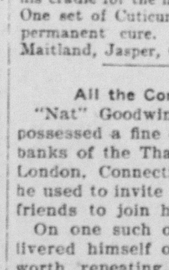

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## COMMERCIAL

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says:

A temporary flurry in the money market had little deleterious effect in commercial channels, most reports indicating a further increase in the volume of business. Orders come forward freely for distant delivery, and buyers experience much difficulty in making purshases for quick shipment.

Wholesale trade in holiday goods is now well under way, and retail distribution of seasonable merchandise responds to the generally lower temperature.

There is still some delay in mercantile collections, especially in the South, where cotton is not being marketed freely, and to a less degree in grain regions, because traffic facilities are not adequate, but the majority reports indicate that payments are more prompt in spite of the higher money rates.

Manufacturing plants have scarcely a drawback, except scarcity of labor in a few instances, and small strikes that interrupt structural work to some extent.

Traffic conditions have improved and railway earnings for the first week of November were 4.9 per cent. larger than in the corresponding times last year.

Failures this week numbered 240 in the United States, against 217 last year, and forty-two in Canada, compared with twenty-seven a year ago.

Bradstreet's says:

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week, ending November 16, are 4,730,211 bushels, against 3,532,429 last week 1,289,642 this week last year, 2,974,277 in 1903 and 5,277,672 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 1,054,633 bushels, against 751,050 last week, 1,39,978 a year ago, 1,391,625 in 1903, and 243,381 in 1902.

## WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 9,011 barrels; exports, 4,451 barrels.

WHEAT—Firmer; spot, contract, 82½@82¾; spot contract, No. 2 red, 84; November, 82¼@82¾; December, 84½@84¾; January, 86; steamer No. 2 red, 75¼@75½; receipts, 51,095 bushels; Southern by sample, 81; Southern on grade, 77½@83.

CORN—Easy; spot, new, 54¼@54⅜; year, 53¼@53½; January, 52@52¼; February, 51¾@52; March, 51¾@52; May, 51¾@52; steamer mixed, 52¾@53; receipts, 58,253 bushels; exports, 3,200 bushels; Southern white corn, 50@55; Southern Yellow corn, 50@55.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 35¾ sales; No. 3 white, 35@35½; No. 2 mixed, 34¼@34½; receipts, 63,259 bushels; exports, 316,840 bushels.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 Western, 75@75¼ export; 77@78 domestic; receipts, 994 bushels.

BUTTER—Strong and unchanged; fancy imitation, 19@20; fancy creamery, 23@24; fancy ladle, 17@18; store-packed 15@16.

EGGS—Steady and unchanged; 27.

CHEESE—Steady and unchanged; large, 13¾; medium, 13¾; small, 14.

SUGAR—Steady and unchanged; coarse granulated, 5; fine, 5.

New York.—WHEAT—Receipts, 37,000 bushels. Spot weak; No. 2 red, 91¾ elevator and 93½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 95¾ f. o. b. afloat.

CORN—Receipts, 72,025 bushels; exports, 13,030 bushels. Spot weak; No. 2, 61 elevator and 60 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 62; No. 2 white, 62. Option market was weak and decidedly lower in response to the bearish government report and liquidation, closing 1¾@1¼c. net lower. May, 51⅝@52¼, closed 51⅝; December closed 55¾.

OATS—Receipts, 55,500 bushels; exports, 6,560 bushels. Spot market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds 36½@37½; clipped white, 35 to 40 pounds, 37½@39.

FLOUR—Receipts, 36,645 barrels; exports, 9,041 barrels; sales, 3,800 barrels. Dull and nominally lower.

BARLEY.—Quiet; feeding, 42¼ c. i. f. Buffalo.

POTATOES—Irish, easy; Maine, 2.10@2.20 per bag; Long Island, 2.12@2.37; State and Western, 2.00@2.15; Jersey, 2.00; German, 2.00@2.75

HOPS—Easy; State, common to choice, 1905, 14@22; 1904, 13@17; olds, 5@8; Pacific Coast, 1905, 10@14; olds, 5@8.

LARD—Steady; Western steamed, 7.35@7.50; refined steady.

COTTONSEED OIL.—Strong; prime yellow, 20@20½.

SUGAR—Raw easy; fair refining, 2 13-16@2⅞; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 7-16; molasses sugar, 2 9-16@2⅝; refined quiet.

**Live Stock.**

New York—BEEVES—Good steers, 10@15c. higher; medium grades more active and unchanged; medium and common cows slow to a shade lower; good cows and bulls steady. Native steers, 3.50@5.30; Westerns, 3.20; bulls, 2.25@3.25; cows, 1.40@3.15.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep steady; lambs steady to strong. Sheep, 3.50@5.40; culls, 2.50@3.00; lambs, 6.90@7.50; culls, 5.00; Canada lambs, 7.50.

CALVES—Veals steady; grassers very dull; Westerns not wanted. Veals, 4.50@8.25; grassers, 4.50; dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 8@12c. per pound; country dressed, 7@11¼c.

HOGS—Market firm; no trade of importance.

Chicago.—CATTLE—Market steady. Common to prime steers, 3.00@6.40; cows, 2.75@4.00; heifers, 2.25@5.00; bulls, 2.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, 2.15@4.25; calves, 2.00@7.00.

HOGS—Market steady to strong. Choice to prime heavy, 4.95@5.10; medium to good heavy, 4.85@4.95; lightweight butchers, 4.95@5.10; good to choice heavy mixed, 4.80@4.95; packing, 4.30@4.95.

## FACTS WORTH REMEMBERING.

The Baptist women of the world are supporting 300 missionaries.

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THE CENTRE REPORTER'

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1905.

## CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon.

Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Georges Valley, evening.

Reformed—Spring Mills, morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

[Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

### SALE REGISTER.

George Gingerich—Tuesday, March 27.

### Farmers, Attention!

Farmers, send me your beef hides, tallow and sheep pelts. I will pay the highest market price—Cash. Address J. L. WINEMAN, Lewisburg, Pa.

### Hand Shot Off.

A. L. Lichtenwalner, general manager of the Susquehanna Traction company, Lock Haven, while on Nittany Mountain hunting for turkeys, fell and discharged his gun, receiving the entire charge in his left arm above the wrist. The arm was amputated.

### The Thrice-a-Week World.

The Thrice-a-week New York World will be furnished any of the Reporter readers, who are paid in advance for sixty-five cents a year. This gives you the Reporter and the Thrice-a-Week World, one year, for $1.65. The regular price of the World is $1.00

### Boys' Target Shot Strikes Tots.

By throwing a tin can in the air and shooting at it, Harry Taylor and Daniel Brown may be the innocent slayers of Guy and Clarence Skipper, aged nine and four years, respectively, of Greenwood Furnace, Huntingdon county, who, while standing in the door of their home, received a charge from the gun. The family inside had a narrow escape, the door being riddled.

### He's Formerly from Potter Township.

The Williamsport Sun is responsible for this hair tonic yarn. It says: "W. W. Rishel, proprietor of the Montgomery Hotel, at Montgomery, who is as bald as any man in Lycoming county, has been using a certain hair tonic at the recommendation of a friend. Hair a quarter of an inch long has appeared in spots, and he now applies the tonic with a brush, as he does not want to get it on his hands, for fear it may grow hair on them."

### Douty's Moving Pictures.

Those who gathered at the Grange Hall last week to view Douty's moving pictures were highly pleased with the entertainment. The pictures were the best ever shown in town, and were up to date scenes. The apparatus worked to perfection, causing no hitch in the program. The impersonator and reader, Prof. Charles Crawford, delighted the audience each time he made his appearance.

Douty's moving picture show is all one could desire. It is worth much more than the price of admission.

### To Test Vaccine Law.

To test the constitutionality of the compulsory vaccination law, which is being so rigidly enforced, legal proceedings will be instituted by the citizens of Penns township in the Snyder county court.

The serious illness of many children vaccinated, and disbelief in efficacy of the virus, is the cause for this procedure.

Citizens have employed counsel from that and adjoining counties, and will fight the case to the highest courts. The case will be watched with interest, since the state supreme court has not previously passed on the law.

### Pennsylvania Railroad Company will Issue Clerical Orders for 1906.

Pursuant to its usual custom, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will issue clerical orders for the year 1906 to ordained clergymen having regular charge as settled pastors of churches located on or near its lines. Clergymen desiring such orders should make individual application for same on blanks furnished by the Company and which can now be obtained from the Ticket Agents. Applications should be sent to the General Office of the Company as soon as possible, in no case later than December 15, so that orders may be mailed by December 30, to all clergymen, entitled to receive them.

### $1 for Every Six Words He Wrote.

Think of getting a dollar bill every time you wrote six words! And yet this is exactly what Conan Doyle, known the world over by his "Sherlock Holmes" and "White Company" stories, has just been paid for his latest and (what he himself says is) his masterwork. This new $25,000 story, a companion to his "White Company," is called "Sir Nigel," and the readers of "The Philadelphia Sunday Press" may expect the greatest treat of their lives on Sunday, December 3, in which issue this thrilling new romance begins exclusively. Don't fail to get "The Sunday Press" that Sunday and every Sunday so long as this great story continues.

Silverware—knives, forks, spoons, cake baskets, water pitchers, sugar bowls, cream pitchers free if you buy shoes of Yeager & Davis.

## Spring Mills.

S. L. Condo and wife returned from a week's trip to Lock Haven.

Daniel Koch, of Sunbury, was a Spring Mills visitor one day last week.

Miss Della Ocker, of Madisonburg, was a guest at the home of C. E. Zeigler, over Sunday.

Among those who left for the seat of justice Monday morning to serve as jurors were Merchant H. F. Rossman, Wm. Pealer, Robert Smith and A. C. Dunlap.

John Leitzell and wife, of Lewisburg, are visiting friends in town. While here Mr. Leitzell also finds time to engage in the enjoyable sport of hunting "cottontails."

Messrs. D. W. Sweetwood and B. F. Kennelly returned on Saturday evening from a ten days' hunting expedition in the Seven Mountains with equal shares of a 466-pound bear. Mr. Kennelly killed the bear.

Lumberman C. J. Finkle, who recently moved his stave mill to Georges Valley, on a tract which he purchased from J. A. Long, is now running his mill to its full capacity and is thinking of buying another mill.

J. D. Messmer and Hayes Zettle, two old soldiers of the "Laurel," from Penn Hall, while out with a hunting club in the Seven Mountains, last week, came very near being run over by two deer. Mr. Messmer did not know he had a gun in his hand or he would have laid low the deer, and Mr. Zettle could not distinguish the deer from a bear so he quickly discharged his Zulu in the air to scare the deer away.

## Woodward.

Samuel Gephart and wife, of Rebersburg, visited at the home of J. B. Gentzel, on Saturday.

Miss Lodie Shaffer, of Rebersburg, spent a few days last week in town.

Miss Maude Ard left for Philadelphia, last week.

Misses Emma Eberhart and Mabel Wolfe were to Millheim on Saturday.

Mrs. Williams and daughter left for Monessen on Monday.

Mrs. Clayton Boob and children, Miles and Grace, of Nittany, visited the lady's parents last week.

John Eby and wife, of Dunlo, are guests at the home of N. W. Eby.

Rev. Haas, the Evangelical minister, is conducting a revival meeting at this place.

Jacob Kitner and sister, Mrs. Glasgow, visited Mrs. Kitner, who is very ill from cancer.

## Rebersburg.

Messrs. Johnson and Fulton, of Hecla, spent a few days with friends here.

Rev. Snyder, of this place, performed the ceremony for a double wedding, Sunday afternoon.

Scott Stover, who assisted in building a large barn for Jacob Weaver, at Hublersburg, has returned home.

Mrs. Jacob Houser and son, of State College, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stover.

Quite a number of young people from this place attended services at Smullton, Sunday evening.

The fire on the mountain north of this place, this fall, has destroyed some very fine timber.

Amon Walker, who some time ago had his hand cut off by a corn shredder, was sent to the Lock Haven hospital and is doing nicely.

### Birthday Party.

Mrs. George Sweeney, Friday night of last week, rounded out her sixty-sixth year, and was given a birthday party at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Gregg, in Centre Hall. The presents were both numerous and useful. Appended are the names of those who enjoyed this pleasurable event: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rowe, Blanche, Emma and Daisy Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Yarnell, Ruth, Hazel and Edward Yarnell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bruss, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Luse and son Ralph, J. J. Arney, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Arney, Pearl Arney, Bruce Arney, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Strohmeier, Bertha Strohmeier, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lutz, Edith Lutz, Ray and Jennie Pringle, Mrs. Lucy Henney, Grace Carper, Mrs. R. J. Miller, Andrew Miller, Mrs. Joseph Edmiston.

### Cure for Tardiness.

It is said that a pretty lady school teacher in a neighboring county has inaugurated a new cure for tardiness. She offered to kiss the first arrival each morning. It is reported that the next morning after the offer was made three young men were seen roosting on the fence at six o'clock, and by seven o'clock all the boys of the school and two directors had put in an appearance.

### Thanksgiving Supper.

Remember the members of Progress Grange will serve their usual Thanksgiving supper this (Thursday) evening from 4 to 10 o'clock. Chicken, waffles and oysters comprise the chief of the bill of fare. The proceeds are for the benefit of the hall fund.

### Roosevelt Inaugural Cost $145,491.

To inaugurate Theodore Roosevelt President of the United States last March cost $145,491, a greater sum than was ever spent for any previous inauguration.

## DEATHS

### GEORGE E. STOVER.

The death of George Emerick Stover occurred at his home, at Earlystown, south of Centre Hall, Saturday afternoon, after a short illness due to paralysis. Mr. Stover was a farmer by occupation, and for some thirty years lived near the scene of his death. Mr. Stover was very much devoted to his home and family, and was seldom absent from the family hearth. He was the father of fourteen children, the youngest of which is ten years of age, and his was the first death to occur in the family. He was a member of the Lutheran church, a good, kind father and husband and a peaceable neighbor.

The deceased was a son of Daniel Stover, deceased, and was aged sixty years, eleven months and twenty days. He had one full sister, Mary, whose death preceded. She was the first wife of James Stahl. Half-sisters and half-brothers are Mrs. Samuel Durst, Centre Hall; Oscar W. Stover, Boalsburg; Foster S. Stover, Bethany, Illinois; Mrs. Calvin Tressler, Peabody, Kansas, deceased; Mrs. Harry Gilmore, Boalsburg, deceased; Mrs. Foster Sherer, Zion; Mrs. William Smith, Zion; Mrs. Mervin Kuhn, Rebersburg.

October 8, 1868, the deceased was married to Sarah A. Dunkle, at Bellefonte, by Rev. J. A. Hackenburg. Fourteen children, all living, were born to them: William H., Burnham; D. Olie, Berea, Ohio; James E., Bellefonte; H. Mary, wife of Elmer Ishler, Oak Hall; Eliza C., wife of John Durst, Centre Hall; Jennie, wife of Alvin S. Myers, Altoona; Ira R., Renovo; Elsie P., Abner D., T. Roy, Annie M., C. Grace, Charles E., George Frederick.

### J. FEARON MANN.

J. Fearon Mann, a well known business citizen of Lewistown, died at his residence Wednesday of last week, aged about sixty-four years. Mr. Mann had been an invalid for some months and about a week previous to his death he was stricken with pneumonia which resulted fatally.

During all his active life Mr. Mann was prominently identified with the axe-making industry. He was a son of William Mann, Jr., and was born at Mann, in Mifflin county. In 1867 he became a member of the firm of William Mann, Jr., & Co., engaged in the manufacture of axes at that place. In 1875, on the death of his cousin, Harvey Mann, he became proprietor of the axe manufacturing plant at Axe Mann, near Bellefonte. This was the original Mann axe factory. Mr. Mann successfully conducted this plant until 1890 when it was purchased by The American Axe and Tool company and soon after was closed.

Deceased is survived by his wife and four children, Harris, Ralph, Anna and Harriet, all living in Lewistown. One sister, Mrs. J. M. Yeager, of Yeagertown, also survives.

Interment was made at Lewistown, Friday afternoon.

### ANDREW STIFFLER.

At the advanced age of seventy-seven years, Andrew Stiffler, for many years a resident on the South side of Potter township, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Bower, at Potters Mills, Saturday of last week. Interment took place Tuesday morning, at Sprucetown.

Mr. Stiffler is survived by the following children: J. Milton, Freeport, port, Illinois; Frederick, Laurence, Dora, wife of Wm. Bower; Mrs. Elizabeth Fox, Dauphin, and Miss Annie.

Mr. Stiffler came to Potter township, when quite a young man, from Dauphin county. He began work as an apprentice under the Senior Felix Burkholder, at the Red Mill. He was a willing worker, and was endowed with a splendid physique and ample muscle. Later he married Miss Arnold, daughter of Frederick Arnold, deceased. His wife for years prior to her death was an invalid.

### SARAH GINGRICH.

After an illness of six months from pneumonia, Sarah Gingrich died at her home in Tyrone. The deceased was aged seventy-three years, five months, having been born June 16, 1832, in Juniata county. She resided in Centre county for many years, but the past sixteen years she had made her home with her brother, Rudolph Gingrich, in Tyrone. She was a daughter of Joseph and Fanny Gingrich, both deceased, and of their family of twelve sons and daughters, six now survive: Samuel and John, of Martha Furnace; David, of Winston, Missouri; Mrs. Fanny Rider, of Fairberry, Neb.; Kate and Rudolph, of Tyrone.

### SIMON CAMERON BURNSIDE.

Simon Cameron Burnside died in Philadelphia, Sunday a week, aged fifty-six years. His remains were interred at Bellefonte.

The deceased was the grandson of United States Senator Simon Cameron. He was an officer in the United States Navy, and later was connected with the controller's office in Philadelphia.

The widow, a daughter of Bernard Lauth, and one daughter, Rachael Burnside, who recently became a nun and a sister, survive.

## ROMAN DICE THROWING.

### Devices Used to Prevent Fraud In the Days of the Caesars.

The number of dice used was three, being marked with a minimum of one and a maximum of six spots. The most fortunate throw, called venereus by Cicero and basilicus by Plautus, was when the dice showed three sevlones, or eighteen spots. The gravity of the losses depended naturally upon the amount of money at stake and the fines that were paid when the dice showed one or more aces.

It is difficult to explain what skill had to do with such a game. Still Isidore describes how inveterate gamblers could succeed in throwing the six and in avoiding the unit. In a graffito at Pompeii an honest player congratulates himself for having gained a good sum of money without fraud. Plautus dwells on these dishonest practices, to avoid which several instruments were invented, such as the horn and the fritillus.

It seems, however, that these instruments did not always fulfill their purpose. A third one was consequently invented in the shape of a tower, with a spiral staircase inside and a funnel on top. The dice, shaken first in the horn or in the fritillus, were thrown into the funnel and rolled down the spiral staircase until they landed on the table. Such precautions rendered cheating almost impossible.

## INK THAT LIVES.

### The Indelible Writing Fluid Used by the Old Irish Monks.

It is impossible to read the most ancient histories of the Irish saints without noticing how large a part books play in their lives.

In the library some cut the sheets of parchment or even sewed together in the neatest way the odd shreds, for the monk must not waste the gifts of God, especially when they are rare and dear. They polished it on one side until it was smooth and laid it near the scribe. Others prepared the peculiar thick inks of the Irish writers, very much like varnish, in different colors. The red was the most beautiful, and after 1,000 years it yet shines as the day it was first used. It was got from a kind of cockles collected on the seashore. Then there were black and green and golden inks, used in various thicknesses by the illuminators and the artists in miniature.

All these inks will resist chemicals that corrode iron. The ink was placed in thin conic glasses attached either to the side of the desk or to the chair, sometimes to the girdle of the writer, often fixed to the end of a pointed stick placed upright in the ground. It is owing to this peculiar skill in making ink that so many of the old Irish manuscripts have come down to us.—London Answers.

## MISSING PERSONS.

### Thousands Yearly Disappear and Are Never Heard From.

More than 5,000 persons annually disappear in the United States and are never heard from again. At first blush the assertion seems incredible, but police statistics furnish confirmation. The actual figures, based on a conservative calculation, are even more alarming than those given.

The tragedies of real life hidden within these peculiar cases, if they could but be brought to light, would rival many of the novels penned by the world's greatest writers. No subject that can be imagined has such weird fascination as that of the thousands and thousands who have gone down this grand canyon of oblivion.

It would be possible to fill many pages with the absorbing stories of these curious cases, but nearly every reader of the newspapers, whether he lives in village, town or city, is probably acquainted with some instance of the kind concerning either friend or relative. Men and women who have lost all they treasured most in life in this manner go about vacantly, numbly, ever waiting for the return of the missing one—a dream that never comes true.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Trousers In England.

Strange though it may appear to the present generation, it seems that trousers when first introduced into England were regarded as anything but a mark of respectability. In the original trust deed, drawn up in 1820, of Bethel chapel, Cambridge street, Sheffield, there was a clause containing the following prohibition: "Under no circumstances whatever shall any preacher be allowed to occupy the pulpit who wears trousers." It is scarcely necessary to add that knee breeches and gaiters were then the correct attire.

### A Flier.

"What's the reason you are so late?" demanded Mrs. Suburban.

"Well, you see," explained her bemuddled husband, "the train I came in on went so fearfully fast that we skipped several towns and had to go back after them!"—Detroit Free Press.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Rebecca Sparr, late of Harris township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned they would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. CYRUS BRUNGART, W. B. MINGLE, Executors. Harry Keller, Attorney. Centre Hall, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Mary Waugh, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. JAS. P. GROVE, Administrator. W. Harrison Walker, Spring Mills, Pa. Attorney, Bellefonte.

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